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The Morning Star.

OUTLINES.

Senator Hanna will succeed himself as chairman of the Republican national committee. —— Eight miners killed in a gas explosion near Gloucester, Ohio. —— Unknown schooner stranded twelve miles north of Hatteras. —— Insurgent Gen. Pio del Pinar captured near Manila. —— A squadron of the Sixth cavalry is ordered to the Philippines. —— Negro lynched near Columbus, Ga., for attempted assault. —— The Chinese government is conniving in the outrages by the Boxers. —— The Boxer movement is spreading; the town of Fung Chow burned and twenty native Christians killed; all the missionaries have been ordered to Pekin. —— Five hundred Russian troops are about to land at Tien Tsin. —— Fire at Hamburg destroyed property valued at 4,000,000 marks. —— Gunboat Nashville has been ordered to Taku, China, from Manila, in place of the Helena. —— Jury unable to agree in the trial of Riddick for murder of Dr. Temple at Lawrenceville, Va. —— Mrs. James Small shot and killed Mrs. Lou Ostranda at Baldwinsville, N. Y. —— Boers rejected Gen. Buller's proposal for surrender. —— New York markets: Money on call quoted nominal, being offered at 2 per cent.; cotton steady, middling uplands 9c; flour weak and quiet, but not quotably lower; wheat—spot weaker, No. 2 red 79½c; corn—spot weak, No. 2 46c; oats—spot easy, No. 2 26½c; rosin quiet, strained common to good $1.55; spirits turpentine weak, at 46½@47c.

WEATHER REPORT.

U. S. DEP'T OF AGRICULTURE, WEATHER BUREAU, WILMINGTON, N. C., June 9

Temperatures: 8 A. M., 76 degrees; 8 P. M., 74 degrees; maximum, 84 degrees; minimum, 72 degrees; mean, 78 degrees.

Rainfall for the day, .07; rainfall since 1st of the month up to date, 1.09 inch.

COTTON REGION BULLETIN.

East of the Mississippi valley generally heavy showers occurred during the past twenty-four hours, with slight changes in temperature. In the Mississippi valley and Western districts generally clear and warmer weather prevailed.

STORM WARNING.

Telegram from the Chief of Bureau, Washington, D. C., at 9.27 P. M. to W. H. Fallon, observer at Wilmington, says: "Evidence of disturbance over Northeast Gulf, which may move northeastward, causing high east to northeast winds on the South Atlantic coast and high west winds on the East Gulf coast."

FORECAST FOR TO-DAY.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—For North Carolina: Rain Sunday, with brisk and possibly northeasterly winds; showers Monday.

Port Almanac---June 10.

Sun Rises	4.41 A. M.
Sun Sets	7.15 P. M.
Day's Length	14 H. 34 M.
High Water at Southport.	5.22 A. M.
High Water, Wilmington.	7.52 A. M.

There is an eighty acre field of corn at Clemson, S. C., which the Charleston *News and Courier* says promises to yield seventy bushels to the acre, and yet there are farmers in that section who buy corn.

It has been figured out that within the past seven years the gifts to educational institutions in this country aggregate $258,000,000. Within the past three years they have run over $140,000,000. Last year they were nearly $63,000,000.

A New York and a St. Paul man recently had an hour's chat over the telephone which cost them $120, or $2 a minute. That was a case where talk wasn't cheap. But they didn't mind the price, for it saved a big deal of some kind which was on.

Bishop Turner, colored, of Georgia, does not think the movement for the organization of a negro national party will amount to anything. Yes it will. It will give some of the swell darkeys a chance to pose, and get their names in the papers.

A Rhode Island paper tells about a French Canadian couple in one of the villages there which has just had a jolly time celebrating the birth of their 41st child. Fortunately for Rhode Island there are not many of that kind of people within her borders. She has little room to spare.

Perhaps General Roberts may be entitled to some credit for capturing Pretoria with about 250,000 men at his command, but are not the Boers entitled to some puffing for bucking up against such an army with their little 25,000 or 30,000 men?

A Pennsylvania man is proud of a brood of a dozen pheasants hatched by a bantam hen, which is also quite proud of them. He has a pair of old pheasants and keeps the pheasant hen laying eggs for his bantam hens to hatch. He expects to have a lot of them if the pheasant hen holds out.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS.

— Mr. J. H. Mallard returned to the city yesterday.

— Capt. J. H. Sloan left yesterday for Charlotte.

— Mr. A. L. White, of Rockingham, was here yesterday.

— Mr. L. N. Schiff, of Charlotte, is registered at The Orton.

— Mr. B. F. Keith returned to the city yesterday morning.

— Mr. Clayton Giles returned yesterday from a trip to Raleigh.

— Mr. W. W. Jones left yesterday for a short trip up the W. & W. road.

— Mr. Elmer Jones, of Wannanish, N. C., is in the city to spend Sunday.

— Rev. S. H. Isler, of Goldsboro, passed through the city yesterday morning.

— Capt. Charles Humphreys returned yesterday after a short trip to Baltimore.

— Hon. W. H. Kitchin left yesterday for Weldon after a short stay in the city.

— Mr. Sam Houston, of Charleston, arrived in the city yesterday to spend Sunday.

— Mrs. C.E. Wood and daughter, Miss Ellen Wood, left yesterday morning for Burgaw.

— Mr. J. A. Bradshaw, of Burgaw, was a pleasant visitor at the STAR office yesterday.

— Mr. C. L. Lindsay and wife, of Chapel Hill, arrived yesterday and are guests at The Orton.

— Hon. John D. Bellamy and wife and Miss Eliza Bellamy returned from Washington yesterday.

— Mrs. W. C. Smith and children, and Miss Alma Herring left yesterday to visit relatives at Clinton.

— Miss Alice Sanders left yesterday for her home at Burgaw after a visit to friends in the city.

— Mr. J. E. Boylan left yesterday for the western part of the State to spend some time in the mountains.

— Lieut. J. E. Dorry, of the *Algonquin*, returned yesterday after a short visit to Washington and Baltimore.

— Mr. W. H. McMullen, of the firm which is operating the big lumber plant at Faison, arrived in the city yesterday.

— Dr. E. P. Porter, of Rocky Point, was here yesterday and left in the evening for New York, to resume his studies in medicine.

— Miss Nicey Bridgers, of Bladenboro, is visiting in the city the guest of Mr. and Mrs. W. A. Rourk, No. 119 South Sixth street.

— Mr. Geo. L. Morton left yesterday morning for Franklin, Pa., to attend the annual meeting of several oil companies in which he is interested.

— Mrs. M. Cronly and Miss M. D. Cronly are visiting in New York the guests of Mr. and Mrs. J. M. Cronly, No. 308 West Ninety third street.

— Fayetteville *Observer*: "Capt. R. A. Southerland went down to Wilmington yesterday afternoon to be with his brother, Mr. David Southerland, who is not expected to live."

— Mrs. M. C. Bowen and daughter, Miss Mary Bowen, of South Carolina, after a pleasant visit to Mrs. W. J. Croswell, Mrs. Bowen's sister, left yesterday for Raleigh, where they will spend some time.

— Mr. W. R. Hall and little daughter, Alice, left last evening on the Clyde steamship for New York, where the child will be treated by a specialist for a dislocated hip sustained five years ago.

— Col. Mike Brown, of Barnwell, S. C., who has been here for several days arranging for the shipment of several cargoes of cross-ties to New York, left yesterday for his home to spend several days.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS

Palace Market—Notice.
Geo. O. Gaylord—Look.
Criminal Court—Notice.
M. H. Curran—Between.
A. Shrier—Bat-wing ties.
Str. Wilmington—Schedule.
Vollers & Hashagen—Cigars.
First Ward Democrats—Notice.
J.H. Rehder & Co—Allover laces.
Bell Telephone Exchange—Notice.
Geo. O. Gaylord's Branch Store—Cold cash.

BUSINESS LOCALS.

Lost—Bracelets.
For Sale—Jersey cow.
P. H. Hayden—Buggies.
P. Donlan—House for rent.
J. G. Russell—Fancy leaf caladiums.

Funeral Yesterday Morning.

The funeral services over the remains of little Helen Edna White were held yesterday morning from the residence of her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Robert W. White, No. 206 North Sixth street, Rev. Calvin S. Blackwell, D. D., pastor of the First Baptist church, officiating. After the solemn ceremonies, the remains were carried to Oakdale Cemetery for interment. Many beautiful flowers were placed on the grave by friends of the family.

Death at Autryville.

Mr. W. B. Cooper, of this city, yesterday received a letter announcing the death of Mr. Alexander Williams, a well known merchant and esteemed citizen of Autryville, N. C. Mr. Williams was well known and had many friends in Wilmington.

SUNDAY SCHOOLS.

Mass Meetings Will Be Held in Y. M. C. A. Auditorium Next Friday.

AN INTERESTING PROGRAMME

Prepared by Executive Committee of the Interdenominational Sunday School Conference Association—Field Secretary J. W. Bryan.

Much interest is manifested in church circles just now over the grand mass meetings of all the Sabbath Schools of the city which will be held in the Y. M. C. A. auditorium, under the auspices of the Interdenominational Sunday School Conference Association, on next Friday, June 15th.

There will be an afternoon and an evening session and the field secretary of the North Carolina Sunday School Association, Mr. J. W. Bryan, will make ringing addresses at both. All Sunday school pupils, ten yeas of age and over, with their parents, are invited to be present, together with the pastors of the churches and all the teachers and officers of the various Sunday schools, both male and female, and all others interested, who will lend their aid to the great work engaged in. It is proposed to make of the meetings the largest, most representative and enthusiastic gatherings of Sunday chool workers ever held in the city.

The executive committee, composed of Dr. W. C. Galloway, Prof. W. Catlett, Prof. E. O. Counts, and Messrs. C. H. Robinson, W. J. Reaves, P. Heinsberger and J. C. Stevenson, has arranged the following programmes:

Afternoon Session.

Presiding officer—Prof. W. Catlett.
Opening song at 4 o'clock by the congregation, led by Secretary Turner, of the Y. M. C. A., with Miss Britt as organist.
Religious services for fifteen minutes, conducted by Rev. Robert Strange, D. D.
Introduction of Field Secretary Bryan, of Goldsboro, by Dr. W. C. Galloway, president of the Association.
Address by Mr. Bryan.
Topic—"Name the Three Most Essential Qualifications of a Successful Superintendent," Messrs. W. H. Sprunt and W. B. Cooper.
Topic—"What is the Proper Use of the Lesson Helps?" Rev. E. E. Lane and Mr. B. G. Worth.
Topic—"What are the Teachers' Week-day Duties to the Class?" Rev. A. D. McClure, Messrs. J. H. Boatwright and R. M. Wescott.
Close with benediction.

Evening Session.

Pesiding Officer—Dr. W. C. Galloway.
Song service beginning at 8:15 o'clock led by Secretary Turner, of the Y. M. C. A., with Mr. E. R. Robey, organist.
Religious exercises for ten or fifteen minutes, conducted by Rev. A. D. McClure.
Topic—"What is the Use of a Teacher's Meeting?" Dr. Calvin S. Blackwell and Prof. E. O. Counts.
Topic—"Our Duty to the Sunday School Conference?" Rev. A. D. McClure.
Topic—"How Can the Teacher Secure the Attention of Restless Boys and Girls?" Messrs. C. H. Robinson and Prof. Washington Catlett.
Topic—"What is the Best Hour for Holding Sunday School?" Rev. J. N. Cole and Mr. Paul M. Taylor.
Address by Field Secretary Bryan.
Close with Benediction.

While in the city Mr. Bryan will be entertained at the hospitable home of Mr. P. Heinsberger.

Pastors and superintendents of Sunday schools are asked to announce the date and objects of the mass meeting to their respective congregations today and during the coming week.

NEW FREIGHT OFFICE.

Atlantic Coast Line Has Begun Work on Proposed Building Next Adjoining Warehouse in the Yard.

The Atlantic Coast Line has begun the erection of a new freight office at the east end of the shipping warehouse in their yard on North Water street A force of laborers has been engaged for the past few days driving piles for the foundation of the new building.

The proposed building will be of brick and two stories high. The end of the ware room adjoining it will also be converted into offices.

The new offices, it is learned, will be occupied by Mr. Walter Rutland, agent of the freight department. Their present apartments are now in the comparatively small two story brick building, corner Red Cross and Nutt streets. The new building will greatly faciliate the working of the freight department when completed.

Summer Schedule.

Capt. J. W. Haper announces that on and after next Tuesday, 12th inst., the regular Summer schedule with full complement of trips will be in effect on the steamer *Wilmington*. Daily except Sunday the boat will leave for Carolina Beach at 6:00 A. M., 9:15 A. M., 2:45 P. M., 5:15 P. M., and 7:30 P. M. Returning from the beach the boat will leave at 7:00 A. M., 1:00 P. M., 3:30 P. M., 6:00 P. M., and 8:30 P. M. The Sunday trips to the beach will be at 10:00 A. M., 2:30 P. M., and 7:30 P. M., leaving for the return at 12:30 P. M., 6:00 P. M., and 8:30 P. M. The popular trips to the pier on the 5:15 and 7:30 boats at 15 cents fare will be inaugurated with the new schedule.

Fire Last Night.

The alarm of fire at 8.34 o'clock last evening from box 26 was caused by the explosion of a lamp in the kitchen of the residence of Mr. W. T. Bannermann, No. 120 Walnut street. The damage was about $5.

WILL ASSEMBLE HERE TO-MORROW.

Members of Grand Grove of Druids of North Carolina and Virginia Will Hold Annual Session.

To-morrow morning at 9 o'clock the Grand Grove United Ancient Order of Druids of North Carolina and Virginia will assemble in annual session in Odd Fellows Hall on Third street, and the meeting is being contemplated with much pleasure by members of the local Grove which is Linden, No. 2. The session will continue for probably two days and a score of prominent members of the order in Virginia, who are expected this morning via the Atlantic Coast Line, will be in attendance and will be entertained by the Wilmington Druids.

Monday afternoon the visitors will be entertained at dinner at the Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville beach and Monday evening the entertainment will consist of an oyster roast and supper served by "Mine Host" Paul Caase on the Sound.

The sessions of the Grand Grove will be presided over by Noble Grand Arch Jno. A. Redford, of Richmond, Va., and other prominent members of the Grand Lodge will be Deputy Grand Arch Wm. Rabey, of Richmond; Grand Secretary George Ziegler, of Wilmington; Grand Treasurer J. W. Toney, of Manchester, Va.; Grand Marshal F. P. Baldwin, of Wilmington, and District Deputy Grand Arch of North Carolina, Julius Sternberger, of Wilmington.

The visiting members of the Grand Grove will be met this morning at the station by the Wilmington brethren and will be extended the courtesies of the city.

FLORAL PARADE COMMITTEE

Will Meet To-morrow Afternoon to Further Arrange for Big Event.

Each day brings brighter prospects for the exquisite floral parade which is being arranged by Capt. W. P. Monroe for the Firemen's Tournament in July. To-morrow afternoon at 5 o'clock there will be a meeting of the members of the committee which have interested themselves in the parade at The Orton and it is the purpose to elect a lady manager to have in general control the arrangements for the occasion.

The flowers which were recently purchased are expected to arrive Monday and will be displayed at The Orton in time for the meeting.

Capt. Monroe tells the STAR that names are added daily to the roll of participants in the parade, among those yesterday being Mrs. E J. Powers, Miss Lizzie McMillan, Dr. Andrew H. Harriss and Mr. C. D. Maffitt.

Messrs. Victor Zoeller & Co. have notified the committee that they will donate one of the handsome prizes that will be awarded for one of the best displays and the others will be forthcoming.

CRIMINAL COURT MONDAY.

Term Will Be Convened by Judge Stevens, of the Western District.

Unless something now unforeseen prevents, the Eastern District Criminal Court for New Hanover county will be convened to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock by Judge Henry B. Stevens, of Asheville, who arrived in the city yesterday.

Solicitor Duffy came over from Jacksonville yesterday to again arrange the preliminaries for the opening and Clerk W. R. French has his docket in order for the term, which will last at least ten days, there being about 145 cases for trial.

Official notice of the term is given this morning in the advertising columns and defendants and witnesses are asked to govern themselves accordingly. All subpœnas, recognizances and proceedings returnable at the March and June terms are in full force at this term.

Real Estate Transfers.

DuBrutz Cutlar, Esq., and wife filed papers with the register of deeds yesterday transferring to Mr. William E. Worth a piece of property situated on Red Cross street between Front and Second, for the sum of $1,950. The lot is 29 feet 9 inches by 127 feet.

Another transfer yesterday was from the American Union Association to Harmon Cowan, a lot on Sixth street between Kidder and Marsteller; consideration $50.

Justice McGowan's Court.

John Henderson, the negro arrested Friday on the charge of larceny of several articles and a small amount of money from the residence of DeBurtz Cutlar, Esq., on Wrightsville Sound, was tried yesterday before Justice J. M. McGowan and bound over to Criminal Court under $25 bond. He was committed in default of the required bond.

Alex Stewart, colored, charged with failure to support his wife, was tried, and agreed to pay the costs and give his wife $2.50 per week.

Many Persons Vaccinated.

Dr. W. D. McMillan, superintendent of health, Dr. Chas. T. Harper and R. J. Price vaccinated a number of persons yesterday morning in the districts where smallpox has recently made its appearance, and they also made a thorough search for anything that looked suspicious but found nothing to indicate the presence of the disease. The three patients at the smallpox hospital are getting on nicely.

BALL GAME AT HILTON.

A. C. L. and S. A. L. Teams Tried Conclusions Yesterday Afternoon—The Former Won.

There was nothing brilliant about yesterday afternoon's game of base ball which was designated as a "contest between the Atlantic Coast Line and Seaboard Air Line teams," though there was some strong individual playing which augurs well for the success of the Association team now in process of formation.

The score was 17 to 7 in favor of the A. C. L. team and for the most part the game was uninteresting. The A. C. L., went to the bat and piled up 11 runs in the first inning, which apparently "took the starch out of the opposing team," and with such a fatality in the beginning they played with no hope of winning though after the second inning when the invincible "Sanders" went in the box, the S. A. L. put up much the best game of ball and would have won out but for the crush received at first.

Wood for the A. C. L. team did some very fine work in the box and with the second "practice" this season Gwaltney is found to be fast becoming himself behind the bat. Jackson, of this year's Horner team, also proved himself worthy of the Association team and promises to sustain his well earned reputation as a fast ball player. Capt. Loveland, of the schooner *Sarah D. Fell*, now in port, played with the A. C. L., through courtesy, and proved himself clever with the "stick" and not altogether amateur in the sport. Jones also played a splendid game, and is deserving of credit.

The line-up and score by innings was as follows:

A. C. L.		S. A. L.
Gwaltney	c.	Tilley
Jackson	c. f.	Dozier
Jones	2 b.	Bonitz
Pinner	1. b.	Matthews
McLaurin	3 b.	McIntire
Loveland	l. f.	King
Moore	s. s.	Litgen
Wood	p.	"Sanders"
Myers	r. f.	Irving

SCORE BY INNINGS.

	1	2	3	4	5	6	7	8	9	
A. C. L.	1	1	2	0	0	0	2	0	2	—17
S. A. L.	0	0	0	0	0	1	2	2	2	— 7

Umpires—Mr. Davis and Mr. Battle.
Scorer—Lieut. Smith.

LOCAL DOTS.

— The revenue cutter *Botuwell*, on the Newbern station, has gone to Baltimore for repairs.

— Patrons of the steamer *Wilmington* are asked not to forget the trip to sea to-day, leaving Wilmington at 10 o'clock this morning.

— White men of the First Ward, irrespective of party, are asked not to forget the meeting to-morrow night at Lamb's Hall. Brooke G. Empie, Esq., and other speakers will be in attendance.

— Live Oak Camp No. 6, Woodmen of the World, has postponed the unveiling ceremonies of the monument erected to their late Sovereign Wm. Ulrich. The date will be Sunday June 17th.

— Two marriage licenses were issued to white couples yesterday. One to Mr. Richard Sellars and Miss Nancy W. Rivenbark, and the other to Mr. Geo. R. Rogers and Miss Mollie Howard. All the parties are from this place.

— The Benteill Manufacturing Company, of Atlanta, yesterday finished the work of fitting up the handsome new offices for Hugh MacRae & Co. and the Wilmington Gas Light Company in the store ofrmerly occupied by the Fishblate Clothing Company.

AT HILTON MONDAY NIGHT.

Sporting Interest Centered in Boxing Bout Between the Colored Pugilists.

Anything bordering upon a prize fight, matters not how far removed, never fails to attract a certain contingent of Wilmington sports, and for that reason, with favorable weather, a large crowd will to-morrow night witness at Hilton Park the ten-round pugilistic exhibition between the two colored athletes, U. S. ("Shadow") Cannon, weight 173 pounds, of Marion, S. C., and Louis Perkins, weight 190 pounds, of Norfolk, Va.

An arc light was yesterday suspended over the arena by the Street Railway Company and cars will be run to the park for the occasion.

The admission will be 25 and 50 cents, and $10.00 of the gate receipts will be contributed to the India Famine Fund.

ICE CREAM BY ELECTRICITY.

Plant Recently Installed by Mr. J. W. Plummer, Jr., at His Store.

Responding to the demands of an increasing patronage and desiring to meet the wants of his customers expeditiously and with the best of service, Mr. J. W. Plummer, Jr., has recently installed at his ice cream parlors and manufactory, No. 204 Princess street, an electric motor of one horse power with which to operate extensive machinery, also recently placed for the manufacture of ice cream in large quantities and of the choicest quality.

He now has one of the best equipped and largest manufactories in the city and is not only catering to the best trade in the city, but is also constantly filling orders for out of town customers, who have been drawn around him by persistent advertising and square dealing.

SEASHORE OPENING.

Brilliant Affair on Wrightsville Beach Last Night Greatly Enjoyed.

MOST EXCELLENT ORCHESTRA

Dancing Was a Feature of the Evening and Many Couples Participated—Hotel Service Superb—Prospects Very Bright.

The formal opening of the Seashore Hotel on Wrightsville Beach last night was a brilliant affair and was a fitting inaugural event for this season's festivities and pleasures at that popular seaside resort. A very large number of people left Wilmington on the 6.30 train and before it reached the beach it was considerably augmented by those who went down from the sounds.

Mr. Hinton, the popular and efficient proprietor, threw the hotel wide open to the guests and did everything in their power to entertain them.

After a delicious supper had been served the tables were cleared and the spacious and well lighted apartment was converted into an excellent ball room. The floor was good and the dancing was participated in by many couples. The music furnished by Prof. Miller's orchestra was simply splendid and Mr. Hinton is to be congratulated upon securing the service of so good a band. Besides playing in perfect time, they played a variety of late and catchy waltzes and two-steps. The orchestra will be a valuable acquisition to the pleasures of the beach this summer and with such music dancing will be genuinely enjoyed.

Among those registered at the Seashore last evening were: Misses Louise Bunting, Mabel Powers, Alice Smallbones, Edith Bolles, Carrie Wright, Lizzie Robinson, Clara Belle Van Dyke, Katie Maffitt, Mary Jennings Bellamy, Lucy Chadbourn, Kate Harlow, MissGuppy, of Ill., Mrs. Rose Grant, Mrs. W. L. Harlow, Messrs. J. T. Jennings, H. McL. Green, J. W. Yates, A. P. Adrian, James H. McFarlane, H. W. Latham, Chas. P. Lewis, E. T. Taylor, J. H. Bunting, H. M. Croswell, Croswell Ragin, S. J. Springer, B. B. Jackson, J. E. Hockey, Cliff Cohen, G. H. Smith, J. K. Williams, W. H. Schroeder, C. T. Hawes, J. F. Garrell, J. M. Turrentine, M. W. Divine, E. A. Metts, J. B. Peschau, J VanB. Metts, Alex Webb, of Raleigh; O. A. Wiggins, W. J. Bellamy, J. C. Angel, "Jack" Bellamy, R. Bradley, B. M. Chiswell, Marcus Jacobi, Clayton Giles, Jas. Stevenson, Frank Turrentine, Geo. V. Harrell, G. W. Brunson, Jr., Thos. S. Bolles, R. A. Williams, of Richmond; F. T. Wood, of New York; F. Dupree and wife, of St. Louis; L. N. Schiff, of Charlotte; J. P. Mentrie, of New York; A. M. Stevenson, of Richmond; W. D. Harred, Jr., of New York; H. R. Fischer, of Cincinnati; R. E. Dafferson, of Richmond, C. W. Buteier, of New York; A. A. Wells, of Elm City, E. F. Lowndes, of Charleston, H. R. Parker, of Olevers, and many others.

The evening was a most pleasant and enjoyable one and the Seashore Hotel has unusually bright prospects for the season.

Resolutions of Respect.

At a meeting of the Produce Exchange yesterday at noon suitable resolutions were adopted as a memorial to the late James S. Worth, who was a valued member of the body and one held in universally high esteem. The memorial was prepared by a committee composed of Capt. W. R. Kenan, Mr. J. W. Norwood and Mr. H. W. Malloy. It was ordered that a page in the record book of the Exchange be inscribed to his memory and a copy of the tribute recorded therein and another sent to the family to whom were tendered warmest sympathies.

The Captain Sick.

On the account of the sickness with fever of its master, the clever Captain A. E. Wingfield, who has many friends in Wilmington, the brig *M. C. Haskell*, which cleared this port last Sunday with lumber for Barbadoes, had to put back here yesterday afternoon. The vessel had gone about 180 miles to sea and she arrived at Southport yesterday at 12:15 P. M. and was towed up by the *Jones*. Capt. Wingfield was taken in a carriage by Mr. W. N. Harriss to the Marine Hospital, where his friends hope for his speedy recoverp.

Harbor Master's Report.

The monthly report of Capt. Edgar D. Williams, Harbor Master, shows the following arrivals of vessels of 90 tons and over at the port of Wilmington during May;

American—Five steamships, 6,131 tons; 3 barques, 2,204 tons; 1 brig, 350 tons, 3 barges, 4,210 tons; 5 schooners, 1,947 tons. Total number of vessels, 16; total tonnage, 14,842.

Foreign—One steamship, 1,407 tons; 1 schooner, 311 tons. Total number of vessels, 2; total tonnage, 1,718.

Grand Total—Number of vessels, 18; tonnage, 16,560.

Childrens' Day Exercises.

"Childrens' Day" exercises will be observed at Grace M. E. Church this morning at 11 o'clock and the children of the Sunday School under whose auspices the programme will be executed are requested to meet at 10:30 o'clock to arrange for a prompt opening of the services. Reference to the very interesting programme arranged was made in yesterday's STAR. The usual evening service at the church will be conducted by Rev. J. N. Cole, the pastor.

N. C. SUPREME COURT.

Opinions Handed Down—An Important Question Settled—Court Will Adjourn This Week.

[*Special Star Telegram.*]

RALEIGH, N. C., June 9.—The Supreme Court has about finished its work for the term and will adjourn next week, probably Tuesday or Wednesday. There are only five opinions still to hand down.

Opinions were handed down to day as follows: State vs. Morrison from Lincoln, reversed. Ward vs. Manufacturing Co., from Iredell, affirmed. Russell vs. Steamboat Co., from Washington, affirmed. Lenoir vs. Improvement Co., from Mitchell, affirmed. Williams vs. Railway Co., from Buncombe, error. Dyer vs. Ellington, from Rockingham, reversed. Tucker vs. Satterwaite, from Pitt, former ruling of this court sustained and petition to rehear dismissed. Hill vs. Life Association, from Craven, affirmed. Street vs. Life Association, from Craven, affirmed. Strauss vs. Life Association, from Craven, affirmed. Honkle vs. Southern Railway Co., from Caldwell, affirmed. In the case of Russell vs. Steamboat Company the court passed upon an important question and settled a doctrine about which there has always been much uncertainty in the State, whether damages can be recovered for the death of an infant. The court says damages may be recovered. In the case before the court suit was brought for damages for the death of a child five months old.

State Base Ball League.

At the meeting of the Wilmington Athletic Association Directors, held last night a number of the matters pertaining to the formation of the State Base Ball League were discussed and among other things it was decided to instruct Manager Battle to attend the meeting to be held in Raleigh Tuesday night, at which time it is presumed the league will be formed and a schedule of games arranged, the first of which it is learned will be played here between the Association and Raleigh teams.

Skull and Cross-Bones.

Alex. Mallett, colored, who is employed by W. E. Springer & Co., is very much alarmed at a note which he received yesterday. In it was drawn in red ink a skull and cross-bones. Above it was written "Poison, beware!" and below was signed "X. Y. Z." The negro was very much excited over it and said he couldn't imagine the cause for such action on the part of any one. When last seen by a reporter he was seeking protection.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

A Clean Shave,

And a comfortable shave, is one of those things that the average man enjoys; and the place to find this enjoyment is the Barber Shop No. 7 South Front street. "Brush the gentleman from head to foot."
apr 17 tf GUION & DAVIS.

PALACE MARKET.

Mr. GEORGE E. TILLEY, manager of the Palace Market, will be at his post as usual to-morrow morning prepared to serve his patrons as heretofore. je 10 1t

Democrats

Of the First Ward are invited to attend a meeting at Lamb's Hall on Monday night at 8 o'clock for the purpose of organizing a White Supremacy Club. Several prominent speakers have been invited to address the meeting.
E. F. JOHNSON,
Ch'm. Dem. Ex. Com.
W. A. WRIGHT, Secretary. je 10 1t

For Rent, Lease or Sale.

The Lumplack Factory and premises, containing three acres; west side of river, opposite Ann street, is for rent, lease or sale on easy terms. Very small capital required to operate it, and ready sale for entire output at good profits. No city taxes to pay.
Apply to O. H. DOCK
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HARDWARE.

Our store will be open Saturday evenings through the Summer, for the accommodation of our city and country customers. We give our employes half holiday during the week.
je 3 tf CHAS. D. FOARD.

SWEET GOODS.

120 Boxes Plain Candy.
100 Pails Mixed Candy.
40 Barrels Stick Candy.
28 Tubs Broken Candy.
90 Cases Penny Goods, special prices F. O. B. Factory.
840 Bushels N. C. Peanuts.
350 Bushels Va. Peanuts.
122 Cases 5c Lye.
100 Cases Star Lye.
150 Cases Celluloid Starch.
40 Cases Ivory Starch.
100 Cases Plain Starch.

W. B. COOPER,
WHOLESALE GROCER,
Wilmington, N. C.
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Schedule Carolina Beach and Southport In effect June 12th.

FOR CAROLINA BEACH.

Boat leaves Wilmington for Carolina Beach 6 A. M., 9.15 A. M., 2.45 P. M., 5.15 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.

FOR WILMINGTON.

Trains leave Beach at 7 A. M., 1 P. M., 3.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8 30 P. M.
Fare to the Pier and return on the 5.15 and 7.30 boat 15 cents.
No 7.30 boat from Wilmington and no 8.30 train from Beach on Monday.
Leave Wilmington Sunday at 10.00 A. M. 2.30 P. M. and 7.30 P. M.
Leave Beach Sunday at 12.30 P. M., 6 P. M. and 8.30 P. M.

FOR SOUTHPORT.

Boat leaves Wilmington at 9 15 A. M.

FOR WILMINGTON.

Boat leaves Southport at 12 M.
Furnished Rooms for rent at Oceanic Hotel, Carolina Beach. J. W. HARPER.
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NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Vollers & Hashagen,

Sole Selling Agents.

"EL CAPITAN GENERAL" CIGARS.
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"SMOKETT" CIGARS.
"SANTA BANA" CIGARS.

These are famous brands—favorably known over North Carolina and South Carolina, and unsurpassed in quality for the price.
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Hoffman Brand Rosindale CEMENT,

now on hand.

Germania Portland Cement, Anchor Lime, Plaster, Hair, Nails.

We have a small quantity of 3x8

LUMBER,

Heart Pine.

A Complete Stock of Heavy Groceries.

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NOTICE!

Southern Bell Telepone subscribers will please note the following additions to Directory of March 1, 1900:
No. 460—Aman, S. W., Grocer, 519 Chesnut street.
No. 139—Boesch, John C., Res., 309 Princess street.
No. 388—Benton, D., Grocer, 122 South Front street.
No. 447—Clemmons, Mrs. James, Res., 701 Grace street.
No. 174—Doscher, J. D., Res., 301 Harnett street.
No. 149—French, W. A., Jr., Res., 105 South Fourth street.
No. 485—Garrell, C. S. &Co., Grocers, 118 South Front street.
No. 843—Grant, Reuben, Res., 616 Red Cross street.
No. 506—Jacobs, B. J., Res., 406 Princess street.
No. 546—Kerr, E. A., Grocer, 1001 North Fourth street.
No. 265—Knight, E. S., Res., 716 North Third street.
No. 698—Moore, H., Grocer, 4 Market street.
No. 592—McDuffie, Mrs. E. H., Res., 1014 North Fourth street.
No. 387—O'Berry, Res., 313 Church street.
No. 561—O'Neil, Mrs. C. D., Res., 321 South Third street.
No. 223—Review Job Printing Office, Custom House Avenue.
No. 378—Springer, Wm. E., Res., 214 North Second street.
No. 824—Stedman, F. H., Res., 225 North Front street.
No. 548—Swinson, J. H., Res., 211 Grace street.
No. 145—Smith, Andrew, Real Estate, Princess street.
No. 787—Tienken, H. F. G., Grocer, Eleventh and Market streets.
No. 108—Toon, Mrs. J. L., Res., North Sixth street.
No. 544—Tyler, Thad F., Res., 127 South Eighth street.
No. 206—Tucker, H. A. & Bro., Marble Yard, 310 North Front street.
No. 848—Wilson, B. M., Grocer, 301 South Front street.
No. 468—McEachern, A. C., Res., 312 South Sixth street.
No. 391—Covington, C. C., Res., Sixth and Grace streets.
No. 810—Alderman, A., Res., 213 North Second street.

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Emerson, T. M., Wrightsville Beach.
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Emerson, H. M., Wrightsville Beach.
Williams, Ernest, Wrightsville Beach.
Seashore Hotel, Wrightsville Beach.
Corbett, M. J., Wrightsville Beach.
Mayo, Mrs. W. E., Wrightsville Beach.
Davis, Juntus, Greenville Sound.
Worth, C. W., Greenville Sound.
Harriss, Geo., Greenville Sound

Parties calling for Subscribers on Beach or Sound will please give name of party wanted at present.

Our next Directory will be issued July 1, 1900. Orders for Telephones will receive immediate attention. JNO. BRAGG, Manager.
je 10 1t

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White Mountain Refrigerators, Water Coolers,

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We can also supply the Piscatorial Prevaricators with every article coming under the head of

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Call and examine our stock.

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Criminal Court Notice.

The Eastern District Criminal Court for New Hanover county will convene in the Court House in this city on Monday, the 11th inst., at 10 o'clock. Defendants and witnesses will be governed accordingly.

All Subpœnas, Recognizances and Proceeses returnable to the March and June Terms are in full force at this Term. W. R. FRENCH,
je 10 1t Clerk Criminal Court.

I AM MAKING PURE ICE CREAM.

Once you try it, you will always be a customer. Vanilla and Strawberry to-day $1.00 per gallon delivered.
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BY WILLIAM H. BERNARD.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 10, 1900.

For White Supremacy.

STATE DEMOCRATIC TICKET.

For Governor:
CHARLES B. AYCOCK, of Wayne.

Lieutenant-Governor:
WILFRED D. TURNER, of Iredell.

Secretary of State:
J. BRYAN GRIMES, of Pitt.

Treasurer:
BENJAMIN R. LACY of Wake.

Auditor:
B. F. DIXON, of Cleveland.

Attorney-General:
ROBERT D. GILMER, of Haywood.

Commissioner of Labor and Printing:
H. B. VARNER of Davidson.

Corporation Commissioners:
FRANKLIN M'NEILL, of New Hanover.
SAMUEL L. ROGERS of Macon.

Superintendent Public Instruction:
THOMAS F. TOON of Robeson.

Commissioner of Agriculture:
SAMUEL L. PATTERSON, of Caldwell.

For Judge of the Tenth District:
W. B. COUNCILL of Watauga.

LEGISLATIVE TICKET.

For Senator, 10th District:
GEORGE L. MORTON.

House of Representatives:
GEORGE ROUNTREE,
MARTIN S. WILLARD.

COUNTY OFFICERS.

For Sheriff:
FRANK H. STEDMAN.
Register of Deeds:
WM. H. BIDDLE.
Treasurer:
H. McL. GREEN.
Coroner:
WM. F. STOKES.
Surveyor:
JOSEPH H. McREE.
Constable—Wilmington Township:
WILLIAM SHEEHAN, Sr.

WHAT CONGRESS DID AND DIDN'T DO.

The first session of the 56th Congress which adjourned Thursday was, as the Philadelphia *Press* characterized it, "a most remarkable one," remarkable for the large amount of talk, the frequent scrimmages, and the small amount of work accomplished. If the country expected much from it it was disappointed, for it did little in which the country was interested and failed or refused to do several things in which the country was interested in and on which it had a right to expect some action.

To sum up the legislation of general interest it appropriated about $92,000,000 more than the first session of the previous Congress did, passed the gold standard bill and the Porto Rico bill, and took Hawaii in.

It left Cuba just where it was, without any positive action to indicate what the purpose of the Republican party is as to letting go its hold on that island.

It took no action as to the Philippines, trusting to luck, and throwing the whole responsibility upon the President.

It made no attempt to comply with the demands of the people to reduce the war taxes, although it "points with pride" to the $70,000,000 surplus in the Treasury.

It quailed before the trusts and, although hypocritically professing to be opposed to monopolies, shrunk from doing anything or attempting anything to curb the trusts.

It turned a deaf ear to the petitions of the publishers of the country to relieve them from the extortions of the paper trust by repealing the protective duty on paper and paper making materials.

It hung up the Nicaragua Canal bill after it had passed the House of Representatives by one of the largest majorities ever given for a public measure, and passed it over till the next session, when the probabilities are that work will be so far advanced on the Panama canal that this will be put forward as an argument against appropriating money for another canal on the ground that one Isthmian canal will be sufficient. The Panama canal lobbyists and the Pacific railway lobbyists got in their work in the Senate. Aside from the fact that the Republican managers wanted to cut off the $10,000,000 a year which this bill called for, it was a measure in which the South was especially interested, which was another reason why they strangled it. If the North was as anxious for its construction as the South is they would doubtless have put it through.

With all the talk of currency reform it confined itself to the passage of the gold standard bill, thereby adopting the British currency system instead of the American bimetallic system which had prevailed from the foundation of the Government. It was a complete surrender to the gold speculators and to the national banks, whose charters are practically prolonged thirty years, thereby fastening that system upon the country for another generation.

As a concession to those sections whose banking facilities are limited, which suffer from a scarcity of currency, it provided for the establishment of banks with a capital of $25,000 in small towns, which is more a concession in form than in substance for not many of these banks will be established for the reason that the bonds command too high a premium to make their establishment with such a capital profitable. State banks will pay better, and come nearer meeting the demands of the people, in whose interest these small banks were ostensibly authorized.

They make much ado over the estimated $200,000,000 a year we pay the owners of foreign ships for doing our ocean carrying, but persistently refused to pass any law authorizing Americans to buy ships abroad and sail them under the American flag, but offered instead a ship subsidy bill to money into the pockets of American capitalists who would have ships built and of American ship builders who would build the ships. This bonus was not to be given for the character of ships that are most needed for the purposes of commerce, but for the high priced ships of speed which would be mainly used as passenger ships and mail carriers. But that bill, on account of the sturdy opposition to it by the Democrats, and their exposure of its true scope, was hung up until after the next election, when if they have votes enough in Congress they will run it through, and saddle $180,000,000 more on the tax-payers of the conntry.

This, briefly stated, is what the first session of the 56th Congress, after six months talk and racket, did and didn't do, a record that the Republicans will find it no pleasant thing to stand upon and defend when brought face to face with the people.

NO GLORY TO ENGLAND.

President Paul Kruger declares that the Boers will continue to fight while they have 500 men able to bear arms, and doubtless the old chieftain means every word he says, although he must realize that it has already become a hopeless fight for him and his, however determined they may be or heroic they may prove. Twenty-five thousand men, driven to bay as they are, cannot hope to make a successful struggle against one of the most formidable nations on the earth, with unbounded resources and the earth to draw from, and an army of 250,000 men in the field. Valor and resolution can do much, but they cannot do the impossible.

They have already established their claim to imperishable fame by one of the grandest struggles on record. They have lost their independence and their country will be absorbed by Great Britain, for that's what the war was forced for, and the only thing left for them to do will be to accept the inevitable or trek as they have done several times before, when England will probably again follow them if she finds it to her interest to do so, that is unless she has learned a lesson from this war which has cost her so much treasure and so many lives, and in which she has won no glory, the glory going to the defeated few who stood up so splendidly against overwhelming numbers and resources.

The late Judge Biddle, of Logansport, Ind., was not only a self-made but a self-educated man. He never went to college, but became one of the most scholarly men in the State. A big brain and determined perseverance can accomplish marvels. There was some time ago a physician in Louisville, Ky., who at the age of 18 didn't know his letters, was taught to read by his wife and afterwards became an eminent physician and a distinguished scientist. He was said to be one of the best Hebrew scholars in that State.

Cold Steel Or Death.

"There is but one small chance to save your life and that is through an operation," was the awful prospect set before Mrs. I. B. Hunt, of Lime Ridge, Wis., by the doctor after vainly trying to cure her of a frightful case of stomach trouble and yellow jaundice. He didn't count on the marvellous power of Electric Bitters to cure Stomach and Liver troubles, but she heard of it, took seven bottles, was wholly cured, avoided surgeon's knife, now weighs more and feels better than ever. It's positively guaranteed to cure Stomach, Liver and Kidney troubles and never disappoints. Price 50c at R. R. BELLAMY'S, Drug Store. †

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HOW IT CAME TO PASS

Spencer B. Adams, Pritchard's nominee for Governor, spoke at Fayetteville, Thursday, to an audience of seventy-five negroes, fifteen white Republicans, and as many Democrats, who went there, doubtless, to see Spencer perform. This is the count made by the *Observer*. He made a very tame speech, didn't get on his high horse and berate anybody and didn't attempt any argument. He seemed, according to the *Observer*, to be under hack, out of his element, which may perhaps account for his perfunctory speech and then again perhaps the complexion of the majority of his audience and the smallness thereof may have had a dispiriting effect. A man cannot spread himself to a vacuum.

The most remarkable thing about this speech, as we gather from the *Observer's* account, was the story which Candidate Adams related as to how he consented to become the nominee of the party. Here it is:

"I did not seek or desire the nomination for Governor, but just before the convention met, and while I was lying in bed, an old gray haired man came to my side and, placing his hand on mine, said: 'In 1861 I was compelled to fight for the rich white man and his slaves, though I had none, and now these same white men want me to give them power over my vote and the vote of my son; you must champion our cause.'"

This is a nice little romance. Of course it is true, for no one would suspect a distinguished individual like Spencer of building up such a fiction simply for the entertainment of seventy-five darkeys, fifteen white Republicans and as many Democrats, who had gone to the show. Spencer didn't want the nomination. Of course he didn't. He never was known to want anything that there wasn't something in for Spencer, or that he couldn't get. That has been characteristic of him ever since he bobbed up in politics, so characteristic that he generally has a grip on one thing while he is reaching out for something else he didn't want. But he couldn't resist this "old gray haired man," who so pathetically reached out and put his hand on Adam's hand and he succumbed right there in bed and resolved to become a "champion."

He didn't tell us whether that same old gray haired man had worked his way into Pritchard's room, caught him in bed, put his hand on the Senator's hand and implored him to hustle and put Spencer up as a champion, but we expect he did. At all events now we know why Spencer consented to make the sacrifice, and that all the glory of bringing about that remarkable event doesn't belong to Senator Pritchard. 'Twas the old man that did it.

ADVICE THAT WILL NOT BE HEEDED.

Negroes rarely assemble anywhere now that more or less attention is not given to the race problem and to the question of qualified suffrage. At the annual meeting of the Philadelphia Conference of the African Methodist Episcopal Church at Chester, Pa., this week Bishop Grant, of Philadelphia, in his address, speaking of the race problem, said:

"Whatever may be the conflict between the colored and white races in this country is likely to arise from the fact that the old class of masters and overseers who were accustomed to hold a guardian relationship over the man of color, whom he considered belonging to the inferior race, is fast passing away. We are aware that there are ignorant negroes who are allowed to exercise the right of franchise, and so there are ignorant white men, who are also allowed to exercise the same rights, and a large number of them are unable to understand the ordinary English language. In the face of this, why should the negro be disfranchised any more than his ignorant white brother? The voice of justice at the bar of enlightened public opinion repudiates the idea.

"My advice to the man of color is to act as any other class of American voters in the exercise of the franchise and that they do not array themselves as a mass, as they did during the days of reconstruction, against the material interests of the community in which they live."

The inference from the first sentence of this extract is that when the negroes were more under the influence of their old masters and overseers, who exercised a guardianship over them, there was less friction than there is now and that the negro was consequently better off than he is now, which is, doubtless, true. The objection which the Bishop has to the movement for restricted suffrage is that it does not apply to the white man as well as to the black. An answer to that may be found in the concluding paragraph, which gives very sound advice to the negroes, but advice which they will pay little heed to, for they never have, although they have had within the past twenty-five years a good deal of that kind of advice from people who took interest in them, and told them what was best for them to do. They are as solid to-day under unscrupulous, ignorant and vicious leadership as they were in the days of the carpet bagger's wildest revel, and this is what has made them the dangerous factor in politics which they have been, and this is why it has been found necessary as a matter of self preservation to neutralize as far as possible their power in politics. They have been wielded solidly against the best interests of the States in which they live and this has made it necessary for the white people to move to protect themselves from the misrule brought upon them by negro ballots.

It Worries a Woman

To find her beauty fading, and feel her strength slowly slipping away. Worry only makes matters worse. In such a crisis the wise woman acts. She looks around for help, and finds it in Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription. No other medicine has done so much for weak and feeble women as "Favorite Prescription." It cures female weakness and diseases of the delicate organs which undermine woman's strength and mar her beauty. It makes weak women strong, sick women well.

Mrs. W. J. Kidder, of Hill Dale Farm (Enosburg Center), Enosburg, Vt., writes: "Your kindly advice and medicines have brought me great relief. During the past year I found myself pregnant and in rapidly failing health. I suffered dreadfully from bloating and urinary difficulty. I was growing weaker each day and suffered much sharp pain at times. I felt that something must be done. *I sought your advice and received a prompt reply.* I took twelve bottles of Dr. Pierce's Favorite Prescription, and also followed your instructions. I began to improve immediately, my health became excellent, and I could do all my own work (we live on a good sized farm). I walked and rode all I could, and enjoyed it. I had a short, easy confinement, and have a healthy baby boy."

Dr. Pierce's Pleasant Pellets cure foul breath, by curing its cause.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE.

— Rocky Mount *Argonaut*: The first apples of the season—we have seen—were on our market last Saturday. They were small, but very good.

— Smithfield *Herald*: We learn that the saw and planing mills and shingle and lath machinery of Johnson & Pratt, near Fremont, has been destroyed by fire. Their loss is placed at $8,000, with no insurance.

— Sanford *Express*: The fruit growers of this county will be busy for the next few weeks gathering and shipping their fruit crop. The peach crop will be immense and if prices are good it will bring thousands of dollars into the county.

— Mt. Airy *News*: The crops are backward this year. Too much cool, dry weather since the 1st of May for corn, oats and vegetables. Wheat is good, but it would have been better and more easily saved if we could have had a little more rain last month.

— Rocky Mount *Abvertiser*: As far as prices are concerned, the bean crop has proved a failure. Potatoes are bringing but little above the cost of production and many of our most successful growers are delaying their shipments in the hope that the tubers will not only advance in price, but will also improve in quantity and quality.

— Danbury *Reporter*: Lieut. Gov. C. A. Reynolds and "Hon." A. H. Price, after having been advertised by eagle posters all over the county for two or three weeks, spoke on the amendment at Danbury, June 6th, and had less than thirty men, counting several Democrats, who were present through curiosity. The Republican ring felt "sore" over their failure. The people of old Stokes are going to vote white this year.

— Red Springs *Record*: Crops are looking well and in fine condition between here and Lumberton. —— Dr. Coppedge, from near Gold Hill, reports crops in his section in good condition. The oat crop is not so good, but wheat and rye are excellent. —— Joe Buie says the Amendment will be carried in Robeson county by 2,000 majority. Chairman McLeod says the tide is rising in its favor all the time, that all the people lack is just to properly understand it and they are for it.

TWINKLINGS

— Sara—What made that saleslady glare at you so viciously? Susie—Oh, I bought the ribbon I wanted instead of that which she wanted to sell me.

— Haughty Lady (who has purchased a stamp)—"Must I put it on myself?" Postoffice Assistant (very politely)—"Not necessarily, ma'am; it will probably accomplish more if you put it on the letter."—*Tit-Bits.*

— Homan — Ah, what a fine stretch of land over there. Niblack—Beautiful; but what a shame to put it under cultivation! It would make an ideal golf link.—*Boston Transcript.*

— Tommy—"Pop, what does the Bible mean by saying to die is gain?" Tommy's Papa—"I don't know, mo son, unless it means that the widow should take consolation from the life insurance companies."—*Toledo Blade.*

—Sunday School Teacher—"Now, Bobby, we have read the beautiful parable of the prodigal son; tell me what important lesson it teaches?" Bobby—"It teaches us that it is better to be a prodigal son than a fatted calf."

— Miss Sentiment—"Were you ever disappointed in love?" Eligible Widower—"Two and a half times." Miss Sentiment—"Two and a half times?" Eligible Widower—"Yes; twice married and once rejected."—*Omaha Bee.*

— The Goat—"I warn you that about 10 o'clock to-night the maid is going to elope with the milkman." The Watchdog—"Indeed! How do you know all this?" The Goat—"I have inside information. I swallowed the note."—*Collier's Weekly.*

— When a politician has just been a member of the council and the directory man comes around next day and asks him what his occupation is he has a struggle with himself sometimes not to answer "Statesman."—*Somerville Journal.*

— Small Boy—"Wanter buy a dog, mister?" Mr. Dignefide—"Not that kind of a dog.— Why, he looks as if he had fleas." Small Boy—"He has got 'em, but yer got ter give dat dog credit for wun t'ing." Mr. Dignefide—"What's that?" Small Boy—"He don't like 'em."—*Ohio State Journal.*

A Night Of Terror.

"Awful anxiety was felt for the widow of the brave General Burnham of Machias, Me., when the doctors said she could not live till morning" writes Mrs. S. H. Lincoln, who attended her that fearful night. "All thought she must soon die from Pneumonia, but she begged for Dr. King's new Discovery, saying it had more that once saved her life, and had cured her of Consumption. After three small doses she slept easily all night, and its further use completely cured her." This marvelous medicine is guaranteed to cure all Throat, Chest and Lung Diseases. Only 50c and $1.00. Trial bottles at 10c. Sold at R. R. BELLAMY'S, Drug Store. †

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SUNDAY SERVICES.

Services at St. John's Church to-day, Trinity Sunday, by the rector, at 7.45 A. M., 11 A. M. and 6 P. M.

St. Thomas' Church: First mass and holy communion, 7 A. M.; high mass and sermon, 10.30 A. M.; vespers, 7.45 P. M.

St. James' Chuch, Trinity Sunday: 11 A. M., morning prayer, sermon, holy communion; 6 P. M., evening prayer. The public cordially invited.

First Baptist church, Rev. C. S. Blackwell, D. D. pastor., 11 A. M. "The Secret of the Lord;" at 8:15 P. M. "As the heart Panteth for the Water Brooks."

St. Paul's Lutheran Church, Sixth and Market streets, Rev. A. G. Voigt, pastor. German services to day at 11 A. M.; English services at 8 P. M. Sunday School at 10 A. M.

St. Matthew's English Lutheran Church, North Fourth street above Bladen: Morning service only at 11 o'clock, conducted by Mr. C. W. Kegley. Sunday school at 9.30 A. M. All seats free and every person cordially invited.

FOLLOWING THE BAND.

NIXON WATERMAN.

Life was a joy when I was a boy,
In the days of long ago,
When eye and ear could see and hear
The things it was good to know.
But the kind old earth, once glad with mirth,
And pictures bright and grand
Seems stale and tame since I became
Too big to follow the band.

Yet I dare say earth holds to day
About as much or more
Of joy and cheer, right now and here,
Than it ever held before.
But by our pride we'll now deride
Good gifts on every hand!
We've grown too proud to follow the crowd,
Too big to follow the band.

I'd like to stray in a careless way
Through the broad, green fields of youth,
And wander back along life's track
To the helpful springs of truth.
I'd like to trade my woes, self made,
And the cares that come to me,
For the keen delight of a boy's glad right
To follow the band again.

CURRENT COMMENT.

—— The heavy drop in the price of Bessemer pig iron and the corresponding reductions in the prices of steel are calculated to improve the business situation. The prices of steel have been out of reach, and have operated as a check upon the prosecution of many projected undertakings. — *Philadelphia Record, Dem.*

—— As the time for the Democratic national convention draws nearer the less we hear of 16 to one as an issue. The Democrats of both Missouri and Indiana, where the idea was so strong in 1896, left it out of their platforms yesterday. There may be general reaffirmation at Kansas City of the Chicago platform, but it is safe to predict that it will be altered in several important particulars.—*Atlanta Journal, Dem.*

—— Neely does not relish the role of "horrible example" that he is to be required to play; but the probabilities are that he will be made to go back to Cuba and take whatever may be dealt out to him. If the campaign were further away, it might have been better for Neely, but from a political point of view, it would never do for the adminstration to let up on the prosecution of the Cuban postoffice robbers, now that the matter has become public.—*Savannah News, Dem.*

—— Senator Pettigrew has put Admiral Dewey into a rather close corner. The Admiral denied point blank that he had ever saluted the Filipino flag. The Senator proves by a letter from the executive officer of the Olympia that the flag of that vessel, Admiral Dewey's flag ship, "was dipped to the Filipino colors." It is the Admiral's turn to explain what he ment by that preceding. If it was not a "salute," what was it?—*Charleston News and Courier, Dem.*

SUNDAY SELECTIONS.

— Burdens become light when cheerfully borne.—*Ovid.*

— God never forgets a man who is willing to take a hard place.

— Sin would not be so deadly if the devil could not wear a mask.

— Children have more need of models than of critics.—*Joubert.*

— Constancy is the complement of other human virtues.—*Mazzini.*

— Censure is the tax a man pays to the public for being eminent.—*Swift.*

— The more any one speaks of himself the less he likes to hear another talked about.—*Lavater.*

— Christ takes no more delight to dwell in a sad heart than we do to live in a dark house.—*Gurnall.*

— Don't pick a man up before he is down. Don't correct him before he has made a mistake.—*Spurgeon.*

— God is not worshiped in spirit and in truth in the church that has to go into the show business to raise money to pay its honest debts.

— If we did but know how little some enjoy of the great things that they possess, there would not be much envy in the world.—*Edward Young.*

— We are wont to look forward to troubles with fears of what they will inflict, but back on them with wonder at what they have saved us from.—*Samuel Johnson.*

— We do not shake off our yesterdays and sustain no further relation to them; they follow us, they constitute our life, and they give accent and force and meaning to our present deeds.—*Joseph Harper.*

— Culture is getting to know, on all matters that most concern us, the best which has been said and thought in the world, and, through this knowledge, turning a stream of fresh and full thought upon our stock of notions and habits.—*Matthew Arnold.*

— "Clara, here's an article which says that 50 per cent. of gardeners die too soon." "Never mind, Charles; go right on spading those beds. Of course, all those foolish men were bachelors who didn't have wives to make them come in when it rained.—*Indianapolis Journal.*

— "Aw, guan on, yer got lint on yer lungs." "Is dat so?" said the other yellow kid, not desiring to admit that "lint on his lungs" was a new one on him.

"Yes, yer got lint on yer lungs from chewin' de rag, see?" and Yellow Kid No. 1 slung his box over one shoulder and started up School street.—*Boston Journal.*

CATARRH OF THE KIDNEYS.

THE REMARKABLE CURE

Of Cases of Bright's Disease After They Had Been Given Up to Die.

Mr. J. Brake of Petrolea, Ontario, Canada, writes: "Four years ago I had a severe attack of Bright's Disease, which brought me so low the doctor said nothing more could be done for me. When one of your lectures on the above disease was read to me I began to take Pe-ru-na and Man-a-lin, and found it acted just as represented. In three months I was a well man, and have continued so ever since."

Hon. J. Brake.

Mr. J. N. Howard of Marble, Ark., says: "It has been nearly two months since I wrote you giving a description of my case. I began taking Pe-ru-na and when I got your letter I followed the directions. My doctor had no hope of my getting well. My bowels were so bloated that I could not rest day or night if I ate anything at all. I thought my case was hopeless. But words cannot express my praise for your medicines. My friends were wonderfully surprised when they saw me improving. But I have not suffered a day since I began taking your medicines; I eat anything I wish and have a good appetite. I was suffering from dropsy so bad that I could not get my clothes on and my feet were all swelled up."

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COMMERCIAL.

WILMINGTON MARKET.

STAR OFFICE, June 9.

SPIRITS TURPENTINE—Market steady at 44 cents per gallon for machine made casks and 43½ cents per gallon for country casks.

ROSIN—Market steady at $1.05 per barrel for strained and $1.10 for good strained.

TAR—Market steady at $1.40 per bbl of 280 lbs.

CRUDE TURPENTINE.—Market quiet at $1.70 per barrel for hard, $2.70 for dip and —— for virgin.

Quotations same day last year.—Spirits turpentine firm at 35½@35c; rosin dull at 90@95c; tar firm at $1.30; crude turpentine quiet at $1.35, 2.10@2.20.

RECEIPTS.

Spirits turpentine	157
Rosin	290
Tar	73
Crude turpentine	121

Receipts same day last year.—125 casks spirits turpentine, 404 bbls rosin, 108 bbls tar, 44 bbls crude turpentine.

COTTON.

Nothing doing.

Same day last year middling quiet at 5⅞c.

Receipts—1 bale; same day last year, 1.

COUNTRY PRODUCE.

PEANUTS — North Carolina — Prime, 70 cents; extra prime, 75 cts. per bushel of 28 pounds; fancy, 77½@80c. Virginia—Prime, 50c; extra prime, 55c; fancy, 60c.

CORN—Firm; 53 to 60 cents per bushel for white.

ROUGH RICE—Lowland (tide-water) 85 cents; upland 50@60c. Quotations on a basis of 45 pounds to the bushel.

N. C. BACON—steady; hams 11 to 12c per pound; shoulders, 7 to 8½c; sides, 7 to 8c.

SHINGLES—Per thousand, five inch, hearts and saps, $2.25 to $3.25; six inch, $4.00 to 5.00; seven inch, $5.50 to 6.50.

TIMBER—Market steady at $3.50 to $9.00 per M.

LOCAL SECURITIES.

Quotations on local securities, furnished and regularly corrected by Hugh MacRae & Co.:

STOCKS.	BID.	ASKED.
A. C. L. of Conn., 5 per ct. Certs.	110¼	111
A. C. L. of Conn., stock	220	225
A. C. L. new preferred	101	102
C. C. New Common	59	62
W. & W. 7 per ct Certs	140	143
N. C. R. R.	158	162
Wilmington Compress Co.		10
Delgado Mills	102½	104¼
Wilmington Cotton Mills, pfd.	110	115
Wilmington Gas Light Co.	70	75
Carolina Insurance Co.	110	115
Underwriters' Insurance Co.	106	107½
National Bank of Wilmington	112	115
Atlantic National Bank	201	...
Murchison National Bank	110	113
Guardian Security Co.	102	...
Wil. Savings & Trust Co.	200	...
Blue Ridge National Bank	112	116
Warren Manufac'ing Co., preferred	102	103½
Abbeville Cotton Mills	101	104
Southern Cotton Mills	98	101
Piedmont Manufacturing Co.	194	200
Pacolet Manufacturing Co.	260	300
F. W. Poe Manufacturing Co.	133	140
Anderson Cotton Mills	128	132
Pelzer Manufacturing Co.	190	200
Union Cotton Mills, preferred	101	104
Gaffney Manufacturing Co.	133	140
Greenwood Cotton Mills	102	105
Grendel Cotton Mills	104	105
Clifton Manufacturing Co.	190	200
Orr Manufacturing Co.	103	105
McColl Manufacturing Co.	125	130
Marlboro Manufacturing Co.	97	100
Bennettsville Manufacturing Co.	115	120
BONDS.		
N. C. 4's	107	108
N. C. 6's	134	137
City Wilm. con. 5's, gold, 1925	112	113
City Wilm. con. 5's, cur.	100	103½
City Wilm. 5's 1919	100	...
City Wilm. 6's	100	...
Masonic Temple 1st 6's	...	100½
Masonic Temple 2d 6's	...	...
Wilmington Compress Co.'s 8's	85	...
Wilmington & Weldon 5's	118	120
A. C. L. 4's	99	101
N. H. County 5's, gold	101	106
City of Wilmington 4's, 1929	101	103½

FINANCIAL MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Money on call was quoted nominal, being offered at 2 per cent. Prime mercantile paper 3½@4½ per cent. Sterling exchange steady, with actual business in bankers' bills at 487½@487¾ for demand and 485@485¼ for sixty days. Posted rates 485¼ and 488½. Commercial bills 483¾@484. Silver certificates 60@61. Bar silver 60. Mexican dollars 47½. Government bonds weak. State bonds inactive. Railroad bonds weak. U. S. refunding 2's reg'd, 103; U. S. refunding 2's, coupon, 103½; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 100; U. S. 3's, reg'd, 109; do. coupon, 109; U. S. new 4's, reg'd, 134½; do. coupon, 134¼; U. S. old 4's, reg'd, 114¼; do. coupon, 115¼; U. S. 5's, reg'd, 113; do. coupon, 113; Southern R'y 5's 112. Stocks: Baltimore & Ohio 76¼; Chesapeake & Ohio 26¾; Manhattan L 89; New York Central 129; Reading 17; do. 1st pref'd 58¼; St. Paul 114½; do. pref'd off'd 174; Southern R'y 15¾; do. pref'd 52¾; American Tobacco, 90¼; do. pref'd 129; People's Gas 98⅞; Sugar 114½; do. pref'd 112; T. C. & Iron 68¾; U. S. Leather 9¼; do. preferred 68½; Western Union 79¾.

NAVAL STORES MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Rosin quiet; strained common to good $1 55. Spirits turpentine weak at 46½@47c.

CHARLESTON, June 9.—Spirits turpentine quiet at 44½c; sales — casks. Rosin quiet; sales — barrels. Quotations unchanged.

COTTON MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 9.—The market for cotton futures opened steady with prices eight points higher on July and two to four points higher on later months, due to the rush of local shorts for covering. A flurry of buying for foreign interests following the call of July and August options absorbed the bulk of attention and exhibited singular strength. The former reached 8 70 within the first half hour, this being two to sixteen points above last night's closing. Rumors were soon in circulation to the effect that prominent Boston and Philadelphia concerns had determined to unload their holdings upon belated shorts. August shorts immediately took fright, fearing a possible extension of the bull movement to that delivery and in an effort to reach safer ground forced prices up rapidly. That the strength did not originate in New Orleans at at first supposed was clearly indicated by an indifferent response in the market to our advance here; the crop options followed the present crop month uplift leisurely and were relatively quieter. The crop news was decidedly better from the Southwest and weather conditions over the entire belt showed a marked improvement. The holiday in Liverpool and uncertainty as to the purport of Monday's bureau showing served to intimidate the outside public in a measure and very little came from that source during the short session.

NEW YORK, June 8.—Cotton steady; middling uplands 9c.

Cotton futures market closed firm; June 8.77, July 8.79, August 8.37, September 7.89, October 7.73, November 7.59, December 7.57, January 7.59, February 7.61, March 7.65, April 7.67, May 7.69.

Spot cotton closed steady and 3 16c higher; middling uplands 9c; middling gulf 9¼c; sales 127 bales.

Net receipts 573 bales; gross receipts 1,073 bales; stock 74,634 bales.

Total to-day—Net receipts 1,042 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,500; exports to the Continent 882 bales; stock 221,695 bales.

Consolidated—Net receipts 1,042 bales; exports to Great Britain 3,500; exports to the Continent 882 bales.

Total since September 1st.—Net receipts 6,329,413 bales; exports to Great Britain 2,147,316 bales; exports to France 688,186 bales; exports to the Continent 2,585,739 bales.

June 9.—Galveston, easy at 8¼c, net receipts 164 bales; Norfolk, nominal at 8¾c, net receipts 1 bale; Baltimore, nominal at 9c, net receipts — bales; Boston, quiet at 8 13-16c, net receipts 10 bales; Wilmington, nominal, net receipts 1 bale; Philadelphia, firm at 9c, net receipts — bales; Savannah, nominal at 8¾, net receipts 162 bales; New Orleans, steady at 9c, net receipts — bales; Mobile, nominal at —c, net receipts 130 bales; Memphis, steady at 8¾c, net receipts 31 bales; Augusta, steady at 8¾c, net receipts 1 bale; Charleston, nominal, net receipts 1 bale.

PRODUCE MARKETS.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 9.—Flour weak and quiet, but not quotably lower; winter patents $3 60@3 90; winter straights $3 40@3 55. Wheat—Spot weaker; No. 2 red 79¼c elevator. Options market showed positive weakness to day, selling off on rain news from the Northwest amid considerable excitement and big offerings of July by foreign houses and local holders. Closed weak at 1@1¼c net decline No. 2 red July closed 76½c; September closed 77½c. Corn—Spot weak; No. 2 46c. Options were weak and active in sympathy with wheat, bear operatives renewing their attacks on prices, and long products coming out freely, closed weak and ⅝c net lower; July closed 44½c; September closed 45½c. Oats—Spot easy; No. 2 26½c; track mixed Western 26¾@28c; options quiet and nominally lower. Lard easier; Western steam $7 50; refined steady. Pork firm; family $13 50@14 59. Butter dull and weak; creameries, extra 16@19c; State dairy 15¾@18½c. Cheese steady; dead large white 9¾@9¾c. Eggs firm; State and Pennsylvania 13½@14½c at mark. Tallow steady; city 4¼c. Potatoes quiet; New York $1 00@1 50; Jersey sweets $3 00@4 25. Petroleum easy; refined New York $7 85; Philadelphia and Baltimore $7 80; do. in bulk $5 25. Rice quiet; domestic, fair to extra, 4½@6¼c. Freights to Liverpool—Cotton by steam 20d. Cabbage quiet; Florida, per crate, $1 25@1 75. Cotton seed oil was quiet but firmly held at yesterday's quotations. Market closed: Prime crude, in barrels, 32c, nominal; prime summer yellow 36c; off summer yellow 35½c; butter grades nominal; prime winter yellow 38@39c; prime white 37@38; prime meal $25 00. Coffee—Spot Rio weak; No. 7 invoice 8½c; mild quiet and easy; Cordova 9¾@13½. Sugar—Raw firm; fair refining 4¼c; centrifugal 96 test 4¼c; refined firm; standard A $5 40; confectioners' $5 40; mould A $5 85.

CHICAGO, June 9.—The Signal Service prediction of rains in the Northwest caused a stampede of longs to-day and when the session ended July was 1½c under yesterday. The other markets were influenced by the break, corn closing 1@1½c, oats ½c and provisions 5@12½c lower.

CHICAGO, June 9.—Cash quotations: Flour quiet; winter patents $3 70@3 80; straights $3 90@3 50; clears $3 80@3 80. Wheat—No. 2 spring —c; No. 3 spring 68¼@68¾c; No. 2 red 72@73c. Corn—No. 2, 39½@39¾c. Oats—No. 2 23¼@23½c; No. 2 white 25½@25¾c; No. 3 white 25¼@25½c. Pork, per barrel, $10 65@11 80. Lard, per 100 lbs, $6 77½@6 90. Short rib sides, loose, $6 70@7 00. Dry salted shoulders, $6 50@6 75. Short clear sides, boxed, $7 30@7 40. Whiskey—Distillers' finished goods, per gallon, $1 23.

The leading futures ranged as follows—opening, highest, lowest and closing: Wheat—No. 2 June 70¾, 71, 70¾, 70¾c; July 71¼@72¼, 71¾@72¾, 71@71½, 72c; August 72½, 73, 71¾, 71¾c. Corn—No. 2 June 39¼@40, 40, 39, 39c; July 39¼@40, 40, 39, 90c. Oats—June 22¼, 22¼, 21¾, 21¾; July 23½@23⅝, 22⅝, 22, 22½c. Pork, per bbl—July $11 80, 11 85, 11 72½, 11 75; September $11 85, 11 90, 11 80, 11 80. Lard, per 100 lbs—July $6 95, 6 97½, 6 85, 6 87½; September $6 92½, 6 97½, 6 87½, 6 90. Short ribs, per 100 lbs—July $6 85, 6 90, 6 82½, 6 85; September $6 85, 6 87½, 6 82½, 6 85.

FOREIGN MARKET.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LIVERPOOL, June 9, P. M.—To-day is a holiday on the Cotton Exchange.

BY RIVER AND RAIL.

Receipts of Naval Stores and Cotton Yesterday.

W. & W. Railroad—6 casks spirits turpentine, 12 barrels tar, 14 barrels crude turpentine.

W. C. & A. Railroad—1 bale cotton, 34 casks spirits turpentine, 64 barrels rosin, 28 barrels tar, 45 barrels crude turpentine.

A. & Y. Railroad—34 casks spirits turpentine, 37 barrels rosin, 8 barrels tar.

C C. Railroad—38 casks spirits turpentine, 134 barrels rosin, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer A. P. Hurt—38 casks spirits turpentine, 25 barrels tar, 13 barrels crude turpentine.

Steamer Cresus—5 barrels rosin, 36 barrels crude turpentine.

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Other trains arrive at Hamlet as follows: Train 403 from Atlanta, Rutherfordton, Shelby, Lincolnton Charlotte and Monroe at 9:00 P. M.; train No. 41 from Portsmouth at 7:10 P. M.; train No. 37 from Richmond and points North at 10:57 P. M.; train No. 44 from Columbia and points South at 8:55 P. M., and train No. 66 from Columbia and points South at 9:00 A. M.

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Foreclosure Sale.

By virtue and in pursuance of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed on the 22nd day of September, A. D. 1899, by Peter Flynn to the undersigned Mortgagee, and duly recorded in Book 27, pages 61, 62, 63 and 64 of the Records of New Hanover county, I will expose for sale to the highest bidder for cash at the Court House door in the city of Wilmington at 12 o'clock M. on Wednesday, the 13th day of June, A. D. 1900, the following described Real Estate, lying, being and situate in the city of Wilmington, county of New Hanover and the State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit:

Beginning at a point in the northern line of Swann street 75 feet west of the northwest intersection of Sixth and Swann streets, and running thence north 45 feet, thence west 75 feet and parallel with Swann street, thence south and parallel with Sixth street and along the eastern line of Brown street 45 feet, thence east along the northern line of Swann street 75 feet to the beginning.

It being a part of the middle of Lot 5 in Block 23, according to the official plan of the city of Wilmington.

HERBERT McCLAMMY,
Mortgagee.

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STATEMENT OF Atlantic National Bank,

WILMINGTON, N. C.

At the Close of Business April 26th, 1900, Condensed from Report to Comptroller.

RESOURCES.

Loans	$ 791,947.62
Overdrafts	172.78
U. S. Bonds at par	196,100.00
Banking House and Fixtures	10,000.00
Due from approved reserve agents	65,292.00
Due from other banks	147,690.21
Cash on hand	88,427.98—296,710.19
Total	$1,294,231.59

LIABILITIES.

Capital	$ 125,000.00
Surplus and undivided profits	166,546.18
Circulation	45,000.00
Deposits U. S. Treas.	$150,375.00
Deposits from Banks	145,414.59
Deposits from individuals	691,395.82
Certificates of Deposit	30,000.00—1,017,085 41
Total	$1,294,231.59

COMPARATIVE STATEMENT.

	Apr. 26 '98.	Apr. 26, '99.	Apr. 26, 1900
Total deposits	$695,500	$790,200	$1,017,000
Surplus and net profits	78,700	92,700	166,500
U. S. bonds at par	40,100	95,6?0	196 100

Dividends Paid—6 Per Cent. Per Annum.

Last Instalment of Capital Paid in October, 1892. my 2 tf

Foreclosure Sale.

By virtue and in pursuance of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed on the 30th day of December, 1896, by and between Richard Ashe and wife, Elizabeth Ashe, to the "People's Perpetual Building and Loan Association" and duly recorded in Book 20, Page 189 et seq., of the Records of New Hanover county, the undersigned mortgagee will expose for sale at the county court house door at 12 o'clock "M." on Wednesday, the 27th day of June, A. D. 1900, to the highest bidder, for cash, the following described Real Estate, situate in Wilmington township, in the county of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a point in the southern line of Castle street, one hundred and twenty-two (122) feet, eastwardly from its intersection with the eastern line of Ninth (9th) street, and running thence eastwardly along said line of Castle street fifty-two (52) feet, thence southwardly and parallel with Ninth (9th) street, eighty-nine (89) feet, to an "alley," thence westwardly parallel with Castle street fifty-two (52) feet, thence northwardly parallel with Ninth (9th) street eighty-nine (89) feet, to the beginning.

"PEOPLE'S PERPETUAL BUILDING AND LOAN ASSOCIATION,"
Mortgagee,
WILLIAM J. BELLAMY,
Attorney for Mortgagee. je 7 1m

NORTH CAROLINA,
NEW HANOVER COUNTY, } In the Superior Court.
Bulah Foy, vs. Y. C. Foy, } Motion by Publication.

The defendant above named will take notice that an action entitled as above has been commenced in the Superior Court of New Hanover county for Divorce upon the grounds of abandonment under Chapter 911, Acts 1899, Laws of North Carolina. The said defendant, Y. C. Foy, will further take notice that he is required to appear at the next term of the Superior Court of said county to be held on the third Monday after the first Monday in September, A. D. 1900, at the Court House in Wilmington, in the county of New Hanover and the State of North Carolina, and answer or demur to the complaint filed in said action, or the plaintiff will apply to the court for the relief demanded in said complaint.

This the 5th day of May, A. D. 1900.
JNO. D. TAYLOR,
Clerk of the Superior Court.
H. McCLAMMY,
Attorney for Plaintiff. su my 13 6t

Foreclosure Sale.

By virtue and in pursuance of a power of sale contained in a certain Mortgage Deed executed on the 9th day of May, A. D. 1898, by and between Alfred Jordan and wife, Alice Jordan, to Forney J. Gooding, and duly recorded in Book 24, Page 47, of the Records of New Hanover county, the undersigned Mortgagee will expose for sale at the county Court House door at 12 o'clock M., on Monday, the 30th day of June, A. D. 1900, to the highest bidder for cash, the following described Real Estate, situated in the Township of Harnett in the County of New Hanover and State of North Carolina, and bounded and described as follows, to-wit: Beginning at a stake on the canal, running thence up the canal to the beginning, corner of lot No. 8 of the plot attached to the last will and testament of D. K. Futch, thence with the dividing line of No. 9 to the old Moore line, thence with said line north 40 degrees east 44 poles to a dividing line, thence with said line south 31½ degrees east 61 poles to a small pine between the dirt and plank road, thence south 45 degrees east 55 poles to the beginning, containing 13 3 acres.

FORNEY J. GOODING,
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LOVE.

Say what is love, greatest of sisters three—
A holy rapture sealed by a kiss?
The poets sing of happiness in this
Brief union; lisping at its mother's knee
The child doth pray for love, and "I am he,"
A still, small voice replies; "the reins of bliss
Are in my hands to guide thee lest thou miss
The alpha and the omega in me."
Pure love it is that with no mine or thine,
Or what thou owest or what to thee he brings—
Even as the blessed sun is pleased to shine
On simple shepherds and on leprous kings—
Scatters with mirth his pearls before the swine
And gathers to his heart all loathly things.
—Rooster Wye in Black and White.

ONE TO SPARE.

The Drudge of the Family Became a Hero, but Was Brought Home Wrapped In the Flag.

It was in the early days of the war, in the summer of 1861, that Jack Hillis enlisted. It never would have happened, his mother said, if it had not been for that foolish excursion. The excursion in itself had not seemed foolish, and Mrs. Hillis had been one of the most enthusiastic of those preparing to celebrate the finishing of the new railroad from Bradley Junction to the lake.

But there was a recruiting office at Lake City. In front of the door of this office a band was playing patriotic airs. Above its roof the stars and stripes were flying. And there Major Seely harangued the young men.

Jack Hillis was 17 and a month, but he was tall and large and looked 20. So he signed his name and was accepted. It was a possibility that his mother had never imagined. Of Mrs. Hillis' four sons Jack was her favorite. Simon, the oldest of the family, was in business and married. He was already making great gains on his merchandise because of the state of the country and the fears for the future. He was buying as far as his money and his credit would reach. He would most assuredly not enlist.

Evan had recently been graduated from a medical college. While he pared his finger nails in a strictly professional manner, he talked loftily about going into the field as a surgeon if Uncle Sam needed him. But as a common soldier—"No, thank you."

Next there was Joe. It was the general opinion in the family and the neighborhood that Joe was good because he lacked strength of character to be anything else. No one knew his deficiency better than did his mother. He had always been the stupid end of the family. No bright sayings of Joe's childhood had ever been recorded. When there was extra work to be done, Joe was kept out of school to do it. "What does it matter?" his mother would say. "You're always at the foot of your classes."

So continually had Joe heard himself depreciated through his childhood and youth he grew to manhood fully understanding that he was the blockhead of the family. Sometimes Joe thought he might like something else than the farm, but if he hinted at the idea ever so mildly there was a general laugh, and then Joe turned scarlet and silent.

Jack, the youngest of the quartet of sons, was the darling of the house. He was the brightest of the family, and, though the other boys were creditable, Jack would surely eclipse them when he made a choice of a business or profession for life. And now he had enlisted! It was not to be endured any longer than till such time as the work of the foolish boy could be undone.

On the evening of the day that Major Seely had released Jack, Joe was coming home from the Raynor farmhouse. The Hillis and the Raynor farms joined. Jennie Raynor met Joe in the shadow of a hedge. Of all the girls in the neighborhood Jennie was the only one who was kind to Joe. The rest, taking the opinion of their elders for their own, snubbed Joe on every occasion. On this evening, after talking over Jack for some time, Joe said:

"If I should enlist, I don't believe mother would try to get me off."

"Oh, yes." Jennie hesitated. She felt that Joe spoke the truth. After a pause she continued, "But you won't enlist, Joe?"

"I don't know. I'd rather volunteer than be drafted. I don't like the idea of being driven out to be shot at."

"Do you think the war's going to last long?"

"I don't know. If it does, I'm going."

"Oh, Joe!" and Jennie's face was very white.

Joe, watching her, felt his heart give a great leap and then stand still. Could it be possible? He, the stupid of the family, the blockhead of the neighborhood, and she, the prettiest, the brightest and the best girl in the world!

There was a silence for a minute; then Jennie said she must go home. Joe detained her by the very slightest touch on her sleeve. "Would you care, Jennie? If I go to the war or if I stay at home, do you care?"

"Yes, Joe, I care very much," Jennie answered, with flushing cheeks and downcast eyes.

"It'll be awful hard to go if you don't want me to," Joe said chokingly. "But, Jennie, you don't want me to stay at home if it comes to be my duty to go?"

"Oh, no, Joe; I couldn't love a coward."

"Jennie"—

She lifted her eyes. Joe's face was very near her own. The twilight was deepening. Their lips met, and each felt that this was their betrothal.

And so it came to pass that within less than six months from the time of the chance meeting in the shadow of the hedge Joe Hillis came home from Bradley looking very thoughtful. After supper he said:

"I enlisted today, and I'm going into camp the first of next week."

"You've enlisted!" Jack exclaimed. "What sort of rot are you givin us? They wouldn't take you."

"Well, they have taken me, anyway," Joe answered. "I belong to Terry's cavalry."

"Joe, why have you done this?" his father asked.

"For the same reason that other men are doing the same thing. Besides, it looks to me as if a family of five men ought to produce at least one soldier."

"Yes, it does look that way," his mother said in a hard, unnatural tone, "and I don't see how any of the rest could be spared. Your father's too old and Jack's too young, and neither Simon nor Eben could stand the life of a common soldier. I hope you'll keep your wits about you and try to understand what's said to you and not bring any"— she hesitated, came near saying "more," but finished, "any discredit on us."

"I will do my best, mother, as I always do."

Mrs. Hillis made a movement of her shoulders that to the others expressed her lack of faith in Joe's "best."

After Joe was gone he was missed by the home folks because of the work he had done and because there was no silent one to be ashamed of. His elder brothers found it a continual joke that Joe had gone to be a soldier, but declared that it was not a bad idea. Some of the family ought to go. From general appearances the war was likely to last for some time.

There were letters, dutiful and kindly, from Joe to his father and mother. To his brothers he sent messages which were received with broad smiles and such exclamations as "Who'd 'a' believed it?" "Joe a soldier!" "Think of Joe being so far from home!"

After a time he mentioned skirmishes and battles he had been in. Once he was wounded and wrote from a hospital. His name was in the newspaper lists. After seeing his name in print, Joe's family knew that he was no longer a private. He was mentioned as Lieutenant Joseph Hillis. There was a general pause in the family conversation. Dr. Hillis was the first one to speak.

"Well, who'd 'a' believed it of Joe?"

The mother said, "Since he was the only one that could be spared, I'm glad he's doing so well." And the father wondered for a moment. No one had said that Joe was doing well of his wounds. Then it dawned upon him that his wife meant their son was doing well to be promated. Shortly Joe was back again to camp and field life, and soon after came news of the battle of the Wilderness—news in the public way, but no letter from Joe.

"Probably he's been promoted again," said merchant Simon Hillis, "and he's busy getting fitted with a new uniform." Dr. Hillis laughed and narrowly examined his polished finger nails.

The father said, "We'll hear from him in good time, and mind what I say, we'll never get any discreditable news of Joe. He's not smart, but he's sound and true."

It was a Sunday afternoon, and all the Hillis family were at the farm. The air was warm enough to feel like spring, and cool enough to make a fire in the big fireplace pleasant, while the outside doors stood open.

There was a step on the porch. Mr. Hillis arose and met at the door a man in soldier blue. His face was pale and thin and his right arm was in a sling.

"You don't know me?" he said, smiling. And then Mr. Hillis recognized Jim Smalley, who had gone into the army with Joe. He was warmly welcomed, but he responded coldly, they thought, and he was very serious for Jim Smalley. To the rallying of the Hillis brothers he gave short, sometimes irrelevant, answers. He told them about his wound, but added that it was not serious.

Then Jack said, "Well, I say, Jim, isn't our Joe coming out in fine feathers? You see him once in a while, even if he is an officer, don't you?"

"Yes, yes, I see him sometimes."

"Do you think he'll be a brigadier general before long?" Eben asked, laughing.

"No, I guess not," Smalley answered. "But he's got the title of hero if ever a man got it, and he'll keep it, too. Future histories will mention how Lieutenant Hillis, when officer after officer was shot down, steadily kept the men under control, prevented a retreat, and at last led them, bearing the colors himself, and captured the battery that was doing so much harm"—

"Then he'll be captain or something higher?" Jack exclaimed, eagerly, and springing from his chair.

"No, he won't be anything," Smalley said, sadly.

"Because, Mrs. Hillis, I came to tell you—we thought it would be better—and I got a furlough—and—I brought Joe home with me, and"—

There was a sound of slow moving wheels at the gate. The father, from where he sat, looked through the open door. There was a hearse at the gate, draped with the stars and stripes.

Later Smalley told them how Joe had died of his wounds the night after the battle; how he, though wounded himself, had been able to minister to others, and he was with Joe till the last.

"And did he remember us? Did he send any message?" Mrs. Hillis sobbed.

"Yes, he remembered; he mentioned you especially. He said I should tell you that he was glad it was himself instead of either one of the other boys; that he was sure he could be best spared. But Joe always was modest."

Best spared! Mrs. Hillis recalled her own words. He could be spared at the time he went away, and the others were so precious! But never to see him again! This patient, silent, unappreciated son!

The manner of Joe's death was told over his remains, and each year as Memorial day comes little children hear the story of the young soldier whose grave is marked by a tall monument and a flagstaff, where the colors are always flying.

After a time it was forgotten that Joe had been the stupid laughing stock of the family and the neighbors, but an old woman does not forget. Each year, when the graves of this and other soldiers are covered with flowers, the old woman, leaning on the arm of one younger, but not young, sits by Joe's grave and says:

"Jennie, he was the only one of my boys I could spare to be a hero. He made our name known for bravery. My neglected Joe! I'm so glad that you loved him and that he knew it."—Woman's Home Companion.

Racing Roaches.

Cockroaches furnish excellent sport when raced. At least one man in New York makes a business of the pastime, and those who have attended his exhibitions in a long room on the top floor of an east side building care no more for poker or horse racing, roulette or faro bank. Two tin troughs, with vertical sides 30 feet long, constitute the course. The roaches—usually large Croton bugs—being started at one end, sprint to the other, the one arriving first capturing the stakes and his backers all the money. It is no remarkable circumstance for $1,000 to change hands in an hour.

Men have trained roaches which they enter against all comers. One is named Longstreet, and he is a whopper, about three inches long. I believe he holds all records and needs to be heavily handicapped now. When he gets under way, he touches the ground only in the high places. The handicapping is done by sprinkling fine sand in the trough, the deeper the sand the more difficult the progress. Any number of troughs and racers may be arranged, but it is difficult for the eye to keep track of more than two thoroughbreds at a time.—New York Press.

A Surprised Dog.

Among the livestock possessed by a Barren Hill farmer there is a dog. The animal was gamboling one day on the unfruitful elevation that gives Barren Hill its name when a trolley car cut off its tail. Surprised, the dog turned, saw lying on the ground its bushy tail and with a bark leaped upon the thing and began to play with it. Then, taking it in its mouth, the dog ran home and laid the tail at its mistress' feet.

She started back in horror, whereupon, with a reproachful look, the dog took the tail again and went out and sat on the front porch with it. It played with the severed caudal appendage for a long time. But with the ending of the day the dog's spirits seemed to fall, and that night, in the moonlight, it carried its tail to the most secluded part of Mr. Sutton's farm. There, under a gnarled old apple tree, it buried the tail with what seemed to be low, repressed cries of woe.—Philadelphia Record.

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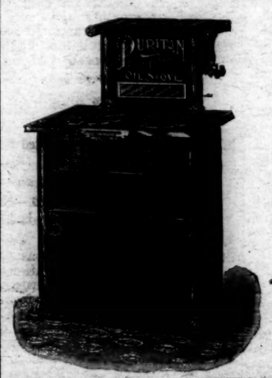

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The Morning Star.

WILMINGTON, N. C.

SUNDAY MORNING, JUNE 10, 1900.

MARRIAGE IN BLADEN.

Miss Margaret Stedman Happily Wedded to Mr. David C. Sinclair, of Lumberton—Bridal Reception.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

ELIZABETHTOWN, N. C., June 9.

On last Wednesday at high noon, in Trinity M. E. Church, Elizabethtown, Miss Margaret Bernard Stedman, one of Bladen's fairest flowers, was happily married to Mr. David Cunningham Sinclair, a popular young man of Lumberton. A large number of the relatives and friends of the contracting parties were present. The church was tastefully decorated with masses of daisies against a background of ferns and palms, and just above the altar hung a beautiful marriage bell, entirely covered with daisies.

Just before the arrival of the bridal party Miss Lola Houston, of Monroe, N. C., sang "Because I Love You Dear," and as the echoes of the sweet voice died away the bridal party entered the church as the inspiring strains of Lohengrin's wedding march were skillfully played by Miss Lucy Carolyn Bowden, of Portsmouth, Va. First came the ushers, Messrs. Douglass Norment and Homer LeGrand Lyon, who took positions on the right and left of the church; then the handsome groom, accompanied by his best man, Mr. Wilton McLean, entering on the left; then the maid of honor, the charming Miss Mattye Lyon, attired in an exquisite creation of pink organdie and hat of pink tulle that was as pretty as a dream of beauty, walked gracefully up the left aisle, carrying a huge bouquet of pink carnations. The beautiful bride, elegantly gowned in a pearl gray tailor-made travelling habit, with hat to match, carrying pink carnations, followed, leaning on the arm of her stepfather, Hon. C. C. Lyon. She was met at the chancel by the groom, and the solemn rites of matrimony were impressively said by Rev. Edward Wooten, according to the beautiful Episcopal service. After the ceremony the bridal party passed down the aisle to the music of Mendelsohn's Wedding March and immediately repaired to the residence of Hon. C. C. Lyon, where lunch awaited them. The bride was the recipient of a very large number of exquisite and costly bridal gifts, attesting her popularity with a large number of friends. The happy couple left on the afternoon train for Jackson's Springs, where they will spend their honeymoon.

A brilliant ante-nuptial reception was given at the home of Mr. and Mrs. C. C. Lyon on Tuesday night. Mrs. Lyon was assisted in receiving by Mrs. Mary Sinclair and the Misses Lyon, Houston, Bowden and Le Grand. Among those present were Miss Lessie Boykin, Washington, D. C., Miss Sarah Purcell, of Robeson county, Miss Lola Houston, Monroe, N. C., Miss Lucy Carolyn Bowden, Portsmouth, Va., and Dr. W. Ross Davis, Whiteville, A. W. McLean, Esq., Mr. Douglass Norment, Lumberton, Messrs G. H. Currie and Paul McFadgen, Clarkton. Delicious refreshments were served at 12 o'clock.

Mr. and Mrs. Sinclair will make their home in Lumberton.

BITTEN BY RABID DOG.

Mr. S. A. Bowden Had Unpleasant Experience With Canine.

[Special Star Correspondence.]

MOUNT OLIVE, N. C., June 9.—Mr. S. A. Bowden, who lives near Mount Olive, in Duplin county, was bitten Friday evening by his dog, which was supposed to have been affected with rabies. Mrs. Bowden had noticed that the dog was constantly chasing the cats and chickens, fighting the other dogs, etc., and told her husband he would have to do something with him. Mr. Bowden took a block attached to the dog and put it through a crack in the fence. The dog immediately jumped the fence and was hanging and Mr. Bowden undertook to help the dog back over the fence, when the dog seized him by the right arm and punctured the skin and bruised it considerably. The dog was left fastened and died the next day, biting at everything in reach. Mr. Bowden left in company with Dr. L. P. Abram this morning for Baltimore, where he will take the Pasteur treatment.

COMPARATIVE COTTON STATEMENT

For the Week Ending Friday, June 8ht, 1900.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW YORK, June 8.—The following is the comparative cotton statement for the week ending June 8th, 1900:

	1900.	1899.
Net receipts at all U. S ports during the week.....	16,095	48,057
Total receipts to this date.....	6,237,854	8,167,428
Exports for week..	38,464	51,194
Total exports to date.....	5,148,759	6,723,906
Stock in all U. S. ports.....	226,575	644,859
Stock at all interior towns.....	129,797	323,109
Stock in Liverpool,	544,000	1,409,000
American afloat for Great Britain...	40,000	49,000

McKINLEY'S CAMPAIGN.

Hanna Will Succeed Himself as Chairman of the Republican Committee.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—It is stated on high authority that Senator Hanna will succeed himself as chairman of the Republican National Committee and will conduct the coming campaign. The only thing which can change this programme, it is said, is some change for the worse in the Senator's health. Senator Hanna and Secretary Dick had a long conference with the President to-day about political matters in general. Mr. Dick will go to Philadelphia next Monday and Senator Hanna will arrive there on the 13th instant. The President and a large number of callers to-day, among them Senators Mason, Allison, Lodge and Spencer and Representative Cannon.

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BOXER MOVEMENT STILL SPREADING.

Destruction of a Russian Chapel Provides Russia With Pretext to Land Troops.

THE SITUATION IS GRAVER.

Russia Will Act Alone If the Powers Hesitate—More Outrages—Villages Burned—Imperial Sympathy for the Boxers.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, June 9.—The situation in China t-onight appears distinctly graver. The destruction of a Russian Chapel at Tung Tingan has provided Russia with the desired pretext to land more troops.

The dispatch from St. Petersburg this afternoon that the government is resolved, if the dangerous situation in China continues, to take immediate military action to repress the anti-foreign movement, at the same time declaring that it has no intention of disassociating itself from the joint action of the powers, may be regarded as a semi-official utterance, meaning that if there is any hesitancy on the part of the powers Russia will act alone.

All reports agree that the Boxer movement is spreading. The report is confirmed that the French agents at Mong Tse and Yun Nan Fu have been compelled to retire, and this shows that the ferment has reached Southwestern China and has provoked France into taking active steps.

Secret Sympathy With Boxers.

Sir Claude MacDonald, British minister at Pekin, has wired the British consul at Shanghai confirming the reported outrages and the fact that the throne and government have been actuated by a secret sympathy with the Boxer movement, which the government has ample power to suppress if it so desired. His dispatch, however, is in no way of an alarmist nature.

The latest Tien Tsin dispatches saying that the Dowager Empress has appointed anti-foreign generals with the pretended mission to suppress the Boxers makes it impossible to doubt that the time has arrived for energetic action.

It is expected that the British government will utilize the Chinese regiment which has been in training at Wei Hai Wei, as it would be dangerous to remove the garrison from Hong Kong at the present moment.

A special from Shanghai says: "The Tsung Li Yamen has protested to the ministers against the presence of such a large number of foreign forces, asserting that it cannot be only for the protection of the legations, but for the establishment of a garrison in the capital of an independent friendly state. The answer which the foreign ministers returned to this protest is unknown.

American Mission Destroyed.

"The American mission at Pei Tang Chow was destroyed yesterday, but the missionaries fled to a place of safety.

"It is reported that the Viceroy of Chi Li has resigned.

"It is proposed to bring Li Hung Chang back from the South. The Prince Kang Yi proposes to give the post to the infamous Li Ping Heng, the former governor of Sham Tung.

"Pao Ting Fu is burning. The Tien Tsin railway has finally ceased to be operated. All the English missionaries are encamped inside the legation."

Imperial Connivance.

TIEN TSIN, June 8.—In view of the conclusive confirmation of Imperial connivance in the Boxer movement, furnished by an edict published to-day denouncing General Nieh Si Chong for killing some of the rioters, the strongest action of the powers it is asserted here, can alone remedy the situation, which has assumed the gravest aspect. The edict is couched in such terms that it leaves no doubt of the deep sympathy of the throne with the Boxers, who are described as "good citizens." Besides denouncing General Nieh for killing the Boxers, the edict orders him to return with his troops to Loopai, eighty miles from the scene of the disturbances.

It is claimed that the first step of the powers for the perservation of foreign life and property ought to be the assumption of control of the railroad to Pekin

Twenty Christians Killed.

TIEN TSIN, June 9.—The viceroy of Yulu has memoralized the throne, earnestly requesting the goverment to allow the foreign powers to use the railroad, pointing out that otherwise serious trouble is unavoidable.

Fung Chow, thirteen miles from Pekin, was burned Friday. Twenty native Christians were killed. The foreigners are safe at Pekin.

It is reported that all the missionaries have been ordered in, as the Boxer movement is spreading and has reached Shan Si province, the seat of the Pekin syndicate concessions.

The German warship Hertha has arrived at Taku,

All hope has been abandoned of rescuing the five Belgian engineers and one woman.

Russian Troops Landing.

SHANGHAI, June 9.—A dispatch from Tien Tsin dated Friday, June 8, says five hundred Russian troops are about to land there.

The dispatch adds that Fung Chow has been burned but that the missionaries are safe.

ST. PETERSBURG, June 9.—It is declared here that the government is firmly resolved, if the dangerous situation in China continues, to take immediate energetic military action to repress the anti-foreign movement. At the same time the government has no intention of dis associating itself from the joint action of the Powers.

France's Action.

PARIS, June 9.—An official note just issued says: Admiral Courrejoulles, at Taku, has sent a fresh detachment of fifty men to Tien Tsin.

A cable dispatch from Yun Nan Sen, dated Thursday evening, says the agitation against foreigners is such that the Viceroy has announced that he is powerless to protect them. The French consul at Lang Chow, M. Francois, has been warned of the situation at Pekin and has gone to Tonquin with all the agents and missionaries. The French consul at Mong Tse has done the same.

The Chinese government has been notified that it will be held responsible for the security of French citizens, but if necessary France will protect.

Chinese Troops Recalled.

TIEN TSIN, June 9.—It is said here that General Nieh Si Chong was officially ordered to protect the railroad and disperse the Boxers without violence, and that he has been severely censured for killing over five hundred of them and burning three villages. About fifteen hundred of his troops have returned to Lu Pai and more of them are returning there.

It is said that the anti-foreign General Tung Fug Siang, of Kan Su, and General Sung Chin have been ordered to disperse the Boxers if there is any further trouble.

SHANGHAI, June 9.—The American missionaries at Tung Chow urgently requested Minister Conger to send them a guard to escort fifteen women and children to Pekin, the officer in command having informed them that his forces refused to protect them. Conger feared to weaken his forces here and was obliged through the Tsun Yamen, to request the Viceroy of Chi Li province to send an escort with them.

Many converts were murdered at Zeng Tai and eleven at Huang Tzum last night.

Missionary work in North China has been crushed for years to come. The railroad stations at Lay Fang and Lo Fa were destroyed to-day. Viceroy Chi Li has refused permission to further increase the guard here.

TO REINFORCE KEMPFF.

Gunboat Nashville Ordered from Cavite to Taku—The Castine and Yorktown Also Available.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

WASHINGTON, June 9.—Admiral Remey informs the Navy Department that the gunboat Nashville, with a force of marines aboard, left Cavite yesterday for Taku. She is a light draft gunboat of the same type as the Helena and it is presumed that she is sent in place of the latter.

The Monocacy, at Shanghai, has also been ordered to join Admiral Kempff at Taku.

It is understood at the Navy Department that the Nashville was dispatched to Taku by Admiral Remey in place of the Helena, which was originally selected for that purpose, but was probably unavailable, or absent from Manila. She should be at Taku about the latter part of next week.

In view of the length of time required by the Nashville to make the trip to Taku, it is fortunate that the Navy Department has other reinforcements at hand in the shape of vessels at Shanghai. This force is only about three days distant from Taku, and only about half the time would be required for the vessels at Shanghai to make the trip to Tien Tsin that would be consumed by the Nashville. The Navy Department has sent instructions to the commander of the Monocacy, at Shanghai, to report to Admiral Kempff at Taku, and that vessel is already on her way. Though an old ship, the Monocacy is admirably adapted to this kind of service, drawing only nine feet of water and carrying a very good secondary battery. Her personnel is twelve officers and 146 men. The Castine and Yorktown also are at Shanghai and can be drawn upon, according to Admiral Remey's dispatch, by Admiral Kempff if he wants more men. These vessels are of 1000 and 1700 tons displacement respectively. The Castine's personnel is 11 officers and 142 men, the Yorktown's 14 officers and 181 men.

Minister Conger's daily report was even less encouraging than usual. In his cablegram to Secretary Hay to-day he said that the situation was unimproved; that the burning of plants continues and owing to the inertness of the Chinese troops it will be necessary to employ foreign troops to protect the railways.

If the State Department has not deemed it necessary to send any specific authorization to Mr. Conger to employ United States naval forces at Tien Tsin and Pekin in guarding the Chinese railways, he is free to exercise his own discretion in that respect. The State Department officials felt that the action taken by the Navy Department in the dispatch of naval vessels to the scene of trouble and the landing of naval forces, represents all that can be done, or at least all that should be done, by the United States at this moment. The department remains unshaken in its attitude and while willing to work on lines with the other powers to restore peace in China, insists on retaining its independence of action.

NEAR CAPE HATTERAS

An Unknown Three-Masted Schooner Stranded on the Beach.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

CAPE HENRY, VA., June 9.—Weather Bureau Official Dosher at Hatteras reports an unknown three-masted schooner stranded early this morning on the beach near Cape Hatteras Life-saving station, twelve miles north of Hatteras. Crews of the Cape Hatteras and Creed's Hill life saving station have gone to her assistance. The wind is fresh from the westward and the sea is moderate.

NORFOLK, VA., June 9.—At an early hour this morning the three-masted schooner Lucy Porter, Capt. Farrow, laden with timber, from Brunswick, Ga., stranded twelve miles north of Cape Hatteras. In response to distress signals the crews of Creed's Hill and Cape Hatteras life-saving stations went to the rescue and assisted the vessel to deep water. She was leaking some, but was otherwise uninjured and proceeded on her way north.

ST, LOUIS STRIKE.

The Governor Requested to Call Out the State Militia.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

ST. LOUIS, June 9.—Gov. Stevens, Brigadier General H. C. Clark, Adjutant General M. F. Bell, of the Missouri National Guard, police officials, and a committee of citizens, who held a conference last night with a view of calling out the militia to suppress disorder in connection with the street railway strike, were closeted again to-day at police headquarters.

The feature of the meeting was the presentation to the Governor of a formal written request by Sheriff Pohlman to call out the militia.

More cars were in operation to-day than at any time since the strike began, but the service was not complete by any means. Sheriff Pohlman's posse of nearly 2,000 men continued to guard the property of the street car company.

The Prohibition State Convention in session at Colorado nominated a full State ticket headed by J. R. Wiley for Governor. The platform hold the President of the United States "responsible for the disgrace brought upon this country by the establishment of drunkeries in the Philippines and Porto Rico and Cuba."

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INTERNATIONAL COMPLICATIONS.

The Grave Situation of Affairs in China Monopolizes Attention of the World.

DOUBLE DUEL FOR SUPREMACY

Between Russia and England and Russia and Japan—Sympathy of France is With Russia—Attitude of the United States Watched.

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PARIS, June 9.—The grave situation in China which has developed this week monopolizes the attention of the world and has thrown a shadow over questions of minor interest, even including the Transvaal.

Paris and its politicians admit the condition of affairs around Pekin, and apprehensions are expressed least it lead to international complications.

The greatest element of danger in the situation is generally felt to be the double duel for supremacy proceeding between Russia and England and Russia and Japan. The sympathies of Frenchmen are naturally with their ally, Russia. It is not thought that England is likely at the present moment, when her hands are fully occupied with South Africa, to take any steps to produce an Anglo Russian collision.

The action of the United States is acknowledged to be most important in the situation, and advices from Washington are closely followed here. Her friendly relations with both Russia and England favor the impression that she will, if compelled by the force of events, reluctantly join Japan and England.

The following statement is furnished the Associated Press by a representative of the Foreign Office, expressing the views of the French government.

"The situation is undoubtedly very serious and unless the Chinese government rouses itself to a thorough appreciation of the dangers threatening its very existence at the present moment, it is difficult to foresee what will be the outcome. Our cables advices leave the condition of affairs still somewhat obscure, but it is evident that the Pekin government must act promptly and vigorously if it is to stamp out this rebellion. Despite the stories of defeat of the Chinese troops, we still think the army sufficiently strong to suppress the insurrection; but it must act at once. In the meantime we intend to cooperate with the other powers in taking such measures as are necessary to safeguard our countrymen and their properties. Our minister and admiral have been instructed to take this course. Our interests are identical with those of the United States, and there is every reason to believe that we shall act in unison during the present crisis. The aim of both is to act purely in defence of the lives and interests of our compatriots which are now in such peril.

"We hope the fears expressed by the press of the various countries regarding the probability of international complications will not be realized. The one thing to be feared appears to be friction between Japan and Russia, but we think the Japanese government is too wise to put itself against the might of the Russian Empire. Japan is certainly very strong on the sea, but on land it is quite a different matter. We are hopeful that the trouble will blow over through resolute action on the part of the Chinese government.

The Paris Exposition.

The golden harvest of the Exposition has at last begun. Two days this week the number of visitors exceeded half a million, which surpassed the figues of the 1889 exposition at a similar period. It is estimated that over 8,000,000 persons have now passed the turn stiles. The greatest difficulty now is experienced in getting from the fair at night, the street car and omnibus facilities being utterly inadequate to cope with the immense crowds. The American pavilion was closed four days this week for improvement of its internal decoration.

The juries have begun their tasks and the American representatives in each group are hard at work seeking honors for United States exhibits.

THE RESULT OF JEALOUSY.

Mrs. James Small Shot and Killed Mrs. Lou Ostrander at Baldwinsville, N. Y.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

SYRACUSE, N. Y., June 9.—Mrs. James Small shot and killed Mrs. Lou Oustrander, in Baldwinsville, eight miles from here to-day, as the result of jealousy over Mrs. Small's son. The shooting was premeditated, as it is understood that Mrs. Small had been practicing shooting with a revolver for some weeks, and when asked what she was doing it for replied that Mrs. Oustrander would find out soon enough. Mrs. Oustrander had left her house to go on an errand and was talking in the street with a friend when Mrs. Small passed them. She drew her revolver and fired point blank. Mrs. Oustrander dropped to the ground and Mrs. Small continued on her way. She was immediately arrested. Mrs. Small's son James was arrested because he said he was glad it had happened and wished it had occurred long ago.

LYNCHING IN GEORGIA.

Negro Hanged for An Attempted Assault on White Girls.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

COLUMBUS, GA., June 9.—Simon Adams, a negro, twenty years of age, was lynched just outside the city limits this morning. He was strung up by a chain and his body, after being riddled with bullets, was thrown into the river. Adams last night forced an entrance into a room in the residence of E. H. Almond, who lives ten miles from Columbus, and attempted to assault his two daughters. Their screams aroused Mr. Almond, who found the negro hiding in a closet. Adams was started for Columbus, but before reaching there was captured by a mob.

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BULLER FIGHTING THE BOERS.

Proposal for Unconditional Surrender Was Promptly Rejected.

By Cable to the Morning Star.

LONDON, June 9.—The Boers have replied in rather curt terms to General Buller's proposal that if they wish to surrender it must be unconditionally, and an artillery duel is now progressing.

LONDON, June 9.—A special dispatch from Durban, Natal, says the Boers at Laings Nek, after an action fought Thursday, June 7th, offered to surrender conditionally, but General Buller replied that their surrender must be unconditional.

Affairs in the Free State.

LONDON, June 9.—Gen. Forrestier-Walker wires to the War Office from Cape Town, under date of June 8th, as follows:

"Kelly-Kenny, at Bloemfontein, reports that the telegraph has been cut at Roodeval, north of Kroonstad, by a body of Boers estimated to be 2,000 strong, with six field guns. He is sending strong reinforcements to Kroonstad, and I am reinforcing from Cape Colony. I hope the interruption will be only temporary."

RIDDICK-TEMPLE MURDER.

The Jury in the Case is Unable to Agree Upon a Verdict.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

RICHMOND, VA., June 9.—Contrary to expectation the jury in the case of J. E. C. Riddick, on trial at Lawrenceville, for the murder of Dr. W. H. Temple, did not agree to-night, and were adjourned over until Monday. It was confidently predicted that at the closing of the argument to-day there would be a verdict of acquittal on the ground of insanity.

A BLOODY CHASE.

Negro Murderer Corralled in Louisiana. Will Probably Be Lynched.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

NEW ORLEANS, June 9.—A large posse of citizens is reported to have located Noah Pritchard, the negro murderer of Ralph Marler, at East Feliciana.

Pritchard, it is reported, led his pursuers a bloody chase, having shot and fatally wounded Forest Ville Reit, one of the posse. The sheriff of West Feliciana, was also wounded.

Pritchard probably will be lynched.

THE NATIONAL LEAGUE.

Result of Base Ball Games Played Yesterday by the Clubs.

By Telegraph to the Morning Star.

Brooklyn—Brooklyn, 9; Pittsburg, 3.
Cincinnati—Cincinnati, 3; Philadelphia, 9.
Chicago—Chicago, 6; Boston, 2.
St. Louis—St. Louis, 6; New York, 3

WARM WIRELETS.

Three men were killed and eight injured by a boiler explosion at the Duke Brick Works, Anniston, Ala.

The boiler in Charles F. Reed's saw mill, five miles north of Fifth Lake, Mich., exploded, killing three men and injuring ten others.

Right Rev. Henry Moeller, secretary and chancellor of the archdiocese, of Cincinnati, O., has been appointed bishop of Columbus, Ohio.

Pierre Lorillard's famous house boat Caiman was entirely destroyed by fire Thursday, while anchored in the river near New Smyrna, Fla. The Caiman was considered the finest boat of her kind afloat.

Charlie McKeever, of Philadelphia, lost to Jimmy Handler, of Newark, at the Seaside Athletic Club, last night by fouling his opponent in the sixth round, of what was to have been a 25-round contest at 148 pounds.

Eight miners were killed in a gas explosion near Gloucester, Ohio. The bodies are supposed to be lying somewhere in the mine but cannot be recovered owing to two more explosions Friday night.

A meeting of creditors of Jacobs Brothers, the "six little tailors," New York, was held yesterday. A statement of the firm's affairs shows liabilities $129,165. The nominal assets are $341,577. A proposition was submitted for a settlement at 50 cents on the dollar.

The weekly bank statement shows the following changes: Surplus reserve, decrease $1,749,025; loans, increase $6,483,000; specie, decrease $680,200; legal tenders, increase $378,900; deposits, increase $5,790,900; circulation, increase $419,500. The banks now hold $18,376,250 in excess of the requirements of the 25 per cent. rule.

SAVANNAH, June 9.—Spirits turpentine firm at 45c; sales 450 casks; receipts 3,053 casks; exports 645 casks. Rosin firm; sales — barrels; receipts 3,157 barrels; exports 1,591 barrels.

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200	Barrels Molasses.
150	Sacks Coffee.

And car-loads of other goods in our line. Get our prices.

D. L. GORE CO.,

120, 122 and 124 North Water street,
my 20 tf Wilmington, N. C.

ON AND AFTER MONDAY, JUNE 4,

and until further notice, the Schedule on

WILMINGTON SEA COAST R. R.

will be as follows:

DAILY EXCEPT SUNDAY.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View.
6.30 A. M.	7.45 A. M.
10.10 A. M.	11.30 A. M.
2.30 P. M.	5.00 P. M.
6.30 P. M.	9.00 P. M.

SUNDAY TRAIN.

Leave Wilmington.	Leave Ocean View
10.10 A. M.	12.00 M.
2.30 P. M.	6.00 P. M.
7.15 P. M.	9.00 P. M.

je 6 tf R. O. GRANT, Supt.

Tin and Sheet Metal Workers.

Roofing, Ship Work. And Stencil Cutting a specialty.

OWEN F. LOVE,
CHARLES CHILDS.
my 8 tf No. 6 Princess street.

A SWELL LINE OF BAT WING TIES

in solid colors and Rumchunda effects, also some very pretty designs in English Squares for LADIES AND GENTLEMEN.

Have you bought your Straw Hat? You'll find one very comfortable these warm days.

Bell 'Phone 565. **A. SHRIER, Men's Wear,** 34 S. E. cor. Front & Princess.
je 10 tf

Look! Dress Goods to Give Away!

I will for the next week give to every customer that spends in my store the sum of THREE DOLLARS, a Dress Pattern of 10 yards of Otterman Cloth. The colors are dark green, light brown and dark brown. This cloth is very durable and strong, fast colors and 32 inches wide, and will make a good and serviceable dress. Positively FREE to you. Read my prices and see what you can buy for your Three Dollars:

10 yards Lawn at 2½c	25c	1 Corset Cover	25c
10 yards Dimity Lawn in blue and white and black and white for 4c	40c	1 Embroidered Night Wrapper. Well, I have Four Dollars worth figured out here and I mention a few others so you may get two dresses free.	50c
10 yards Embroidered Linen, worth 10c, for 6½c	65c	1 man's 5 inch Palmetto Hat at	10c
13 yards Valenciennes Lace for 10 and 25c	25c	1 boy's Palmetto Hat	9c
6 yards 36 inch Marine Dress Lining, worth 12½c for 6½c	58c	1 boy's nice bound Straw Hat	20c
2 spools of Machine Thread, 2½c	5c	1 Armon Mackaman high crown soft Straw Hat	42c
5 spools Dragon Thread at 1c	5c	Old man's Manilla high crown fine and soft Hat, worth $1.25, for	69c
3 balls of Sewing Thread	5c	Ladies' black or white Sailor for	10c
1 laundered Percale Shirt Waist	25c	Fine Trimmed Hat for lady or child	59c
1 man's Percale Shirt, any size	35c		
1 boy' Shirt at	25c		
1 ladies' Summer Corset	42c		

This lot of goods completes the list for Two Dress Patterns FREE. I am selling Dress Goods and other things at half price and giving away a Dress Pattern FREE.

I have told you about cheap goods; I have fine ones also. I have just received 36 fine all wool well made Men's Suits at $6.00, that are worth $10.00. I have the best line of Men's Straw Hats at 50c in the State. I have received this week a big line of fine white Hats for Ladies. All new and pretty. Also 100 pieces of No. 40 Silk Ribbon, all bright colors and white at 19c yard; No. 80 at 25c per yard. Silk Mulls at 35c per yard. Velvet Baby Ribbon at 25c per bunch of 10 yards. A big line of Flowers of all grades. New Chrysanthemums at 48c a double bunch. All styles of black and white Flowers. Roses and Snowballs. Poppies from 15c a bunch up. Do you needa Trunk? If so, look at my line. A Zinc covered Trunk, 26 inches, at $1.00. Large Canvas Trunks at $2.75; with strap and brass lock, $3.75.

Twenty-six inch Umbrellas for 38c; steel rod and turned top at 50c; steel rod and paragon frame, silk top, at $1.00; fine and fancy handles at $1.25 up to $3.00. Parasols for children at 25c; Ladies' Silk Parasols at $1.00 to $2.50. Silk Shirt Waists at $2.75.

If you need good Dry Goods, we have them at the lowest prices and the most of them you ever saw in any store in this city.

At Wilmington's Big Racket Store on Front street, opposite The Orton.

GEORGE O. GAYLORD, Proprietor.
je 10 tf

Between One Thing and Another

We manage to turn out the best fitting, exquisitely finished and distingue Suits of Clothing to be seen in the city. We take pains to select the latest and handsomest fabrics for your selection. Just now we are making Nobby Suits in Unfinished Worsteds, Cheviots, Serges, etc., at prices which can't be matched. We also have for your inspection a Swell line of Furnishing Goods. Our line of Neckwear is extremely handsome. Fancy ½ Hose, etc.

M. H. CURRAN,
107 PRINCESS STREET.
je 10 tf

COLD CASH! Just See What THE WORD CASH MEANS!

It means that you can go to Gaylord's Branch Store, corner Fourth and Campbell streets, and buy Summer Lawns from 2c a yard up. Just received from auction a big lot of Lawns, Organdies and Piques, which we will offer next week at less than half price. Examine Lawns, light and dark brown, solid colors, at 3c per yard. Organdies, figured pretty patterns at 7c, worth 12½c. Figured Linen Lawns at 6c, worth 12½c. Several pieces of wavered striped Lawns in black and navy blue at 4c, worth 8c. Sunny South Lawns, pretty patterns at 5c, worth 10c. Piques, striped, figured and plain, all colors at 9½c, worth 12½c. Linen Crash for Skirts at 8c. Black and navy blue Duck at 10c. Covert Cloth for skirts at 12½c. Plaid Linen Crash at 10c.

If the Lady's Hat is not trimmed to suit you, we will trim another on short notice. We have all the Ladies' Shoes and Slippers you can look at from 75c a pair to $3 00. Men's Shoes from $1.00 to $5 00. Children's Shoes from 3's to 6's, tan and black, at 25c a pair.

We are open every night until 9 o'clock at

G. O. GAYLORD'S Branch Store,

Corner Fourth and Campbell Streets.
J. R. BOYD, Manager. Bell 'Phone 557.

New Allover Laces,

25, 39, 48, 69 and 98c yard.

Big Stock Embroideries, 3 to 15c yard.

7c Sea Island 5c yard.

Balbriggan Shirts and Drawers, 25, 35 and 48c.

Scriven's Drawers, all sizes, as many pairs as you want.

$1.50 BLACK CREPON FOR SKIRTS, 98c

Lots of New Goods at

J. H. Rehder & Co.

Bell 'Phone 118. Inter-State 'Phone 218.
Car fare paid on purchases of $2.00 and up.
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A SOLID FOUNDATION

for health, vigor, endurance and vitality is a regular diet mainly composed of cereals. Oats, wheat and other grains specially prepared for breakfast use give a flying start for the day's labors. If it's a cereal we have it, always fresh and prime. A horse shows his oats, and cereal eaters show what makes nerve and muscle. Malt Breakfast Food. Delicious in flavor. Most easily digested. Try it once and you'll always want it.

**THE KING GRO